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The Recognized Headquarters for Fine Goods and Repairing.

Food

is an everyday necessity, the best is none to good and it costs but little more than the usual sort.

Variety

is also recognized as one of the essentials in a well balanced diet if good health is maintained.

Three

new cereals just on the market to which we desire to call your attention and we believe everyone is a trade winner.

Wheatine, Wheat Protein and Cornola Flour.

Specialties

just in, Stuffed Mushrooms, Mushrooms in glass, Anchoovies in Oil, French Peas and String Beans in glass, Shrewsbury Catsup, Chutney and Chili Sauce C. & B. Sage, Thyme, Savory and Mint in glass.

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What Everybody Says Must Be True.

EVERYBODY SAYS THAT WE SERVE THE BEST HOT SODA IN THE CITY.

A CUP OF HOT SODA TAKES THE CHILL OUT OF THE COLDEST DAY. HOT CHOCOLATE, HOT COFFEE, HOT CLAM BROTH, HOT BEEF TEA, HOT LEMON, HOT GINGER, ETC.

5c a cup

SPECIAL SALE ON HOT WATER BAGS ALL THIS WEEK. THEY COME IN HANDY THESE COLD NIGHTS.

WILSON HOUSE DRUG STORE.

KRUM & BENJAMIN

YES IT IS A FACT

You can get nice Fresh Eggs at our market for 30c dozen, we have sold hundreds of dozens of them and have yet to hear the first complaint.

FORK STATE EGGS, 30c dozen

CREAMERY BUTTER, 28c pound

You cannot find anything any better even if you pay more money, it is certainly the best in the city, but especially for us, you cannot possibly buy it elsewhere.

Fresh Ground HORSE RADISH

10c bottle.

Pressed Corned Beef made this afternoon.

Will have FRESH TRIPE Thursday morning.

Best goods and lowest prices at

BATEMAN'S City Market

AGAINST FRENCH TREATY

Knit Goods Manufacturers Introduce Resolution Opposing It

BENNINGTON MAN LEADS

A. B. Valentine Speaks For Manufacturers in Reciprocity Convention at Washington Today

Washington, Nov. 20.—At the national reciprocity convention today A. B. Valentine of Bennington, Vermont, president of the national association of knit goods manufacturers, offered a resolution that in the opinion of the convention, the treaty known as the French reciprocity convention, should not be ratified. This was referred to a committee.

The tone of the convention so far has been one of challenge of the often repeated charges that the movement which resulted in the holding of the convention was inspired by opposition to the existing protective system. This attitude was very marked in the opening sessions yesterday.

The delegates had obviously been somewhat disturbed by the circular of warning issued by the Protective Tariff League and mailed to them, as well as by the withdrawal of certain large business interests which a few days ago had intended to be here. Those who remained with the movement, and they certainly make it large and representative, resented vigorously the allegation that they are any less devoted to the protective theory than those who have been frightened away. D. A. Tompkins of Charlotte, N. C., the temporary chairman, brought out the genuine applause when he declared for "no abandonment of the policies by which the magnificent industrial results in our nation had been obtained" and also when he declared for the fundamental necessity of preserving the home market.

Theodore C. Search, the permanent chairman, was even more emphatic in the same line. He announced himself a lifelong protectionist whose faith in the wisdom, justice and efficiency of that system remained unshaken. He remarked that those who had refused to come here to confer were stopped from criticism of what was done, and added: "They charge that we have organized to stimulate tariff revision, when our object is directly the opposite. Our aim is to forestall tariff revision."

Mr. Search combatted the idea that any real reciprocity was possible by means of concessions merely in the articles which we do not produce. Tea and coffee were about all that amounted to anything in this class: one of these is now free, while the other is being raised on a small scale in South Carolina. He showed by quotations from Mr. Roosevelt at Minneapolis and Mr. McKinley at Buffalo that neither had hinted at any such notion of reciprocity as this.

Mr. Search announced three principles at the basis of the real reciprocity movement: First, that some duties in our present tariff are no longer necessary for the industries which they were intended to protect; second, that the home market can no longer absorb the entire product of many industries and third, that the establishment of more cordial commercial relations with other nations is necessary to the successful enlargement of our outlet.

He alluded to the prevalent belief that duties were too high, on a neighborly product, while on our own they were so moderate that any change would be ruinous. To adjust this conflict of interest is the great reciprocity problem of the day.

The organization was completed by the election of the following: Vice-chairmen, W. F. Draper, Massachusetts; T. L. Hickman, Georgia; Charles H. Harding, Pennsylvania; James Deering, Illinois; Titus Sheard, New York city, and Robert J. Morgan, Ohio; secretaries, Edward H. Sanborn, Pennsylvania, and E. P. Wilson, Cincinnati.

The convention adopted resolutions of greeting to President Roosevelt, pledging its support and expressing its confidence in his administration.

ROADS AND BRIDGES FOR ISLAND OF GUAM

Annual Report of Secretary Hackett on Its Affairs

Washington, Nov. 20.—Assistant Secretary of the Navy Hackett's annual report covering matters in the island of Guam and Tutuila, shows that the sum raised by taxation in Guam last year was \$53,356, a gain of \$11,685 over the previous year. This money was applied to the building of roads and bridges, and the support of schools.

BRITISH COLUMN ROUNDS UP BOERS

Two Commandoes Taken With Several Killed and Wounded

London, Nov. 20.—Lord Kitchener reports that Lieutenant Colonel Enbrander's column, has rounded up Byer's and Badenherst's Boer commandoes, 30 miles northwest of Pretoria.

The troops killed three men, wounded three and captured 14, including two field cornets, and much stock and munitions.

Probably Intended to Aid Boers

London, Nov. 20.—The government has caused the detention of a British steamer which was fitting out at Victoria docks, on the ground that the vessel was laden with contraband of war destined for the Boers. It is said a search disclosed four field guns, quantities of raw material for the manufacture of powder and that the vessel was fitted up inside to accommodate from 500 to 600 men.

PRIEST IN DANGER AT ELECTROCUTION

Knelt Close to Fatal Chair. Warden Caught Him in Time

Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Fred Krist who murdered Katie Tobin as Waverly in 1900, met his death by electricity at Auburn prison this morning. He met his fate with fortitude. He was attended to the chair by two Catholic priests. After he seated, Father Kelly knelt on the rubber mat close to the chair to offer prayer.

The warden was on the verge of giving the signal for the fatal current when he noticed the priest's peril. He vigorously motioned him to get off the mat, and then gave the signal.

BODIES EXHUMED TO LOOK FOR POISON

More Suspected Victims of Miss Toppan Examined Today

Cataumet, Mass., Nov. 20.—The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Aiden P. Davis were exhumed today, and an autopsy performed by Medical Examiner Harris in the presence of Professors Wood and Whitney of Harvard university. It is another step in connection with an effort to find whether they were poisoned by Miss Jane Toppan, the nurse now under arrest charged with the murder of Mrs. Henry Gibbs of the same family.

CROWN TAKES BIG LEGACY DUTY

London, Nov. 20.—The court of appeals today sustained the decision of the lower court holding that the late W. L. Winans, formerly of Baltimore, M. D., was domiciled in England and that the crown is therefore entitled to legacy duty. Winans died in 1897, leaving an estate valued at \$2,500,000 pounds.

Attack on Non-Union Miners

Vincennes, Ind., Nov. 20.—Four hundred union coal miners from neighboring mining towns arrived here yesterday and made an attack upon the non-union miners employed at the Prospect Hill mines near this city. As a result two men are fatally hurt and half a dozen more are seriously injured.

Amalgamation of Textile Workers

Washington, Nov. 20.—Preliminary steps were taken here yesterday in the organization of the United Textile Workers of America, an organization which is to amalgamate all the different associations of textile operatives of the country. A committee of 15 was appointed to prepare plans for a permanent organization and a committee of five will prepare a series of resolutions.

LIBERALS SEIZE COLON

Sudden Assault For Which Government Was Not Prepared

AMERICAN MARINES LAND

And Take Charge of Railway Station. Attack on Panama Now Probably Being Made

Colon, Columbia, Nov. 20.—The liberals made an unexpected attack on Colon at 8 o'clock last night. The government troops were not prepared and there was little resistance.

After some fighting in front of the Cuartel and in certain streets for an hour and a half the liberals gained possession of all public offices and the town of Colon.

The prefect, Guardia, is a prisoner. Twelve men were killed and thirty wounded.

The United States gunboat Machias is now here, but took no part in the proceedings.

There has been on telegraphic communication with Panama since last night. It is surmised here that Panama is now being attacked.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The state department has received official confirmation of the capture of Colon by the liberals. Captain Perry of the Iowa has been instructed to land at Panama with marines if necessary to maintain the transit across the Isthmus.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Commander McRea has landed 100 marines from the Machias at Colon, and taken charge of the railway station. This is done not because of any further disturbances but as a matter of precaution.

NO FREIGHT MOVING TODAY

One Train Only Started From Harlem Yards. Big Strike On

New York, Nov. 20.—The striking switchmen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad met in secret session today to discuss plans for aiding the cause.

A miscellaneous freight train made up at the Harlem river yards this morning started out 15 minutes late. The railroad officials declare this to be a victory for the company.

Except for this, all work at the Harlem river yard was suspended today. The strikers claim to have received assurances from the freight handlers of other roads that no freight from this road will be moved by them while the strike is on.

Twelve cars from New England carrying horses for the horse show here are sidetracked at Melrose today.

New York, Nov. 20.—Nearly 800 men, comprising the entire force of brakemen, freight handlers and switchmen of the New York division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad went on strike yesterday. The reputed cause for the refusal of the men to work is the discharge of Assistant Superintendent Thurbush of the Mott Haven yards. Officials of the company have nothing to say about the strike.

FIRE THREATENED NEW HAMPSHIRE VILLAGE

East Andover, N. H., Nov. 20.—A brisk fire which for a time caused much uneasiness among the villagers destroyed several wooden buildings this morning with a loss of \$15,000. The fire started in the engine room of Caldwell's box factory.

CONNECTICUT BANK ROBBED THIS MORNING

Woodbury, Conn., Nov. 20.—The vault of the Woodbury savings bank was broken into by burglars this morning, and \$1500 in money and checks was taken.

MARINES TAKE STRONG POSITION

REBELS BADLY ROUTED

Killed 30 Men and Captured Many Stores in Island of Samar

Washington, Nov. 20.—Admiral Rodgers reports:

"Waller reports that on the 17th marines attacked the almost impregnable position of Sojolon, Samar, destroying three camps, killing 30 men and capturing 40 bamboo guns and rice stores. No casualties. He commands Porter, Bearer and other for bravery."

TRANSPORT MCLELLAN REACHES SUEZ CANAL

Suez, Nov. 20.—The transport McClellan, from Manila, has arrived here on its way to New York.

AMERICAN AMBASSADOR VISITED THE EMPEROR

Berlin, Nov. 20.—Andrew D. White, United ambassador and Mrs. White, visited the emperor at Potsdam last night and conveyed to him President Roosevelt's messages of good will.

World's Largest Office Building. London, Nov. 20.—An Anglo-American syndicate applied to the London county council yesterday for a lease for 599 years of a site on the north side of the Strand for the erection of an office building on American lines. The structure, which will cost £2,000,000, will be the largest and handsomest of its kind in the world.

Wanted to Be Electrocuted

New York, Nov. 20.—A man giving the name of Hartsfield T. Krode of Hartford, walked into one of the medical colleges here last night, and, seated himself in a chair, asked that the electric current be turned on. He said that he had killed the president. He was sent to the insane pavilion of Bellevue hospital.

Grand Jury Will Investigate

New York, Nov. 20.—The condition of the Brooklyn bridge, which has manifested signs of weakness under the great burden added by the increased traffic of recent years, is to be the subject of grand jury investigation. Expert testimony is being prepared for submission to the jury.

Failed For Quarter of a Million

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 20.—Involuntary bankruptcy proceedings were instituted here yesterday against Tamblin & Tamblin, live stock commission merchants. The petition states that the firm's liabilities are \$250,000.

Duke and Duchess to Separate

London, Nov. 20.—Truth says that Emperor William has been acquainted with the fact that the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Hesse will be divorced on the ground of "insupportable personal aversion." All efforts to arrange a compromise having failed.

Burglars Looted Bank

Mondovi, Wis., Nov. 20.—Robbers early yesterday blew open the safe in the vault of the First National bank and secured between \$5000 and \$6000. It was the work of professionals.

Pipes Suffer From Electricity

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 20.—Although the decomposition of the water pipes of Cambridge because of the action of electricity upon them has been going on for some time, especially heavy damage is being caused just now. The water department learned of a break in a new pipe on Boylston street, and found that a part of the pipe was eaten away at the place where the electricity had left it to pass to some other good conductor.

FINANCIAL

High. Low. Closing

Quotations furnished by J. W. Stiffier.

Aml Cop	86 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
Lo Co	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Am Smelt	47	46 3/4	47
Amg Sug	120 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Atch	80 1/2	79 3/4	80
Atch Pr	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Balt & Ohio	107 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Brook R T	69	67 3/4	68 1/2
Can So	84 1/2	83 1/4	84
Ches & Ohio	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Chi M & St P	169	167 3/4	167 3/4
Chi R I & P	146 1/2	145 1/4	145 1/4
C C C	99 1/2	99	99 1/2
Del & Hud	176 1/2	175	175
Erie	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4
Erie Ist	73 1/2	72 3/4	73
Lou & Nash	107 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Manhattan	131 1/2	130 1/2	130 1/2
Met St Ry	170 1/2	168 1/2	168 1/2
M K T Pr	52 1/2	52 1/4	52 1/4



This Coat

Is calculated for every man who wishes to dress well and still escape the extreme. It is our model and do not fail to see it when looking for a coat, as it combines all the go of the long coats with a certain elegant dressiness lacking in the Yoke and Raglans.

\$10, \$15 and \$20

\$10, \$15 and \$20 spent here for an overcoat this week will go farther than almost double the money elsewhere. It certainly will when it comes to fit and style.

See our Yoke coats for young men and do not leave our furnishings out of your reckoning. See our front windows.

G. H. Gutting & Co., Wholesale-Retailers, Cutting Corner.

Thanksgiving Dinner

Will not be complete without the proper tableware

Carvers, Bird Carvers, Game Carvers

and everything in silverware to beautify your table and make it inviting.

Just received a full line of Rogers Bros.' 1847 Flatware, Knives, Forks and Spoons.

L. M. BARNES, THE OLD RELIABLE JEWELER.

Wilson House Bldg.

Tel. 251-13

IF YOU

Want something that is as eating just try our own Sugar Cured Pig Hams and you will be perfectly happy. They always contain their original delicious taste and flavor, taken fresh from our own smoke-house today 14c pound.

Place your Thanksgiving turkey order with us and you will be perfectly satisfied. We are going to have an elegant large stock of fine native turkeys, also everything else in abundance that you will need.

Stockwell & Rosston's

M. & B. COTTON,

DEALERS IN

Paper Stock, Woolen Rags, Rubbers, Metals and Old Iron.

Have just opened a new Junk Shop at 59 to 63 Lincoln Street, North Adams, Mass. and are paying highest cash prices for stock to peddlers and dealers.

Office and Shop 45-47 Grafton St. Worcester, Mass

McCraw & Tatro

(Successors to W. H. Gaylord)

3 Martin Block, Main Street.

Telephone Call 21—3.

North Adams' Reliable Dry Goods Institution

New Outing Flannels, Eclipse Flannels and Ramona Flannels.

Visit the store and see the assortment of handsome patterns and share in the splendid values we offer.

1 case handsome Outing Flannels in stripe effect 7 1/2 yd 500 yards very fine Outing Flannel in pretty neat stripes and checks 10c yd.

1 case Eclipse Flannels worth 15c to go at 12 1/2 yd.

See those pretty Ramona Fleece Flannels at 15c yd.

25 pieces fancy flannels in Persian patterns and very pretty for house jackets at 12 1/2 yd.

Remember that a visit to our Linen department will mean economy for you, nowhere can you find a larger or better assortment of desirable patterns than we show at 49c, 59c, 60c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.35, 1.50, to 2.00 yd.

We are also showing a very nice assortment of fine Linens in Matched Sets.

For underwear you will find our store headquarters. Both Ladies' and Children's garments will be found here in great variety at prices to please all.

Mo Pac	101 1/2	99 1/2	100
N Y Cen	183 1/2	177 1/2	182
N Y Cen	183 1/2	181 1/2	182 1/2
Ont & West	26 1/2	25 3/4	26 1/4
Pac Mail	17	16 3/4	16 3/4
Penn RR	146 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Peo Gas	102 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Reading	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Reading 1st	79 1/2	79	79 1/2
So Pac	60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
So Ry	24 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
So Ry Pr	90 1/2	89 1/2	90
Union Pac	104 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Union Pac Pr	91 1/2	90 1/2	91
U S Steel	42 1/2	42	42 1/2
U S Steel Pr	92 1/2	92	92 1/2
West U Tel	91 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2
Money	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2

FIRE AT MILLARD'S

Small Blaze in Dust Box. Indicator at Hose 1 Was Wrong

The fire department was called out last night at 7:45 o'clock by an alarm from box 16. The apparatus reached Union street in good time, that is except hose 1, which took a rather circuitous route, but it was some few minutes before the fire could be found. Finally it was located in the "dust box" at Millard's shoe factory. Two lines of hose were run in, and the fire was soon under control.

The "dust box" is a compartment for receiving the waste trimmings. A good deal of this is a very fine powder, and is apt to ignite through spontaneous combustion. This has already happened four times this summer, but last night was the first time an alarm was rung in, each of the other fires being put out by the night watchman. Last night the watchman discovered the fire but saw that he could not cope with it himself and so called out the department. The damage was very slight.

For a few minutes after the alarm sounded there was confusion on Main street, people running in both directions for though the number was 16, a box on Union street, the hook and ladder went tearing down Marshall street. Some people wildly followed while others still pinned their faith to the fire alarm system. The trouble arose because the indicator in the hose 1 room made a mistake and indicated box 14, which is situated at the corner of Brooklyn and River streets.

POWNA

Daniel Pettibone of Williamstown is moving on his father's farm for the ensuing season.

The boys were feeling quite noisy Saturday night and a derby hat was found near the crossing in the morning by the flagman, who has it still awaiting an owner.

The junior league has raised the indebtedness it assumed on the church repairs and is first on the list of paid-up subscribers. Good for the ten-year-olds.

A WOMAN'S LETTER

Telling of Unexpected Help in Time of Need

I will quote you a part only of a short letter—a woman's letter and women always write better letters than men. They tell more truth and in a simpler way.

"In September of 1899," she says: "I found myself nervous and low spirited. My appetite was gone and even after the lightest meal I suffered from fatigue and nausea. The doctors gave me soothing medicines and tonics but they had no effect. It was all I could do to walk and in the open air I was soon fatigued and exhausted. In January, 1900, I read about a new medicine, Caloria Solvent, in our local paper, and concluded to try it because it was discovered by Dr. David Kennedy. One bottle relieved me very much and when I had taken the second I was able to eat heartily, and early in April I was as strong and as well as ever. How thankful and glad I am any one can imagine.

If your druggist is out of Caloria Solvent, send \$1.00 to Dr. David Kennedy, Kennedy Row, Kingston, N. Y.; express prepaid. Write for free sample bottle.

MR. MARSH OBJECTS

Says the Facts Compel Him to Testify as He Did in The Miller Case

Editor of the Transcript: In your issue of last night you reported the verdict of \$3000 against the city in the Miller case and the substance of testimony and then said, "it has caused a great deal of comment." In your report of that case and the above words there lurks a slanderous insinuation against me.

The source of your information and the motive of your informant are very apparent. Someone has been unexpectedly whipped, and seeks to have the public believe that something other than the poor judgment and ignorance of those who defend the city was the cause of it, hence I am picked out for the sacrifice to save someone.

All the witnesses for the plaintiff Miller, and all the witnesses for the city who saw the culvert at the time it was dug up right after the accident testified exactly as I did in relation to it. It was true and they could not do otherwise, and J. B. Temple, the commissioner of public works, followed a witness for the city and testified under oath that the evidence of myself and the other witnesses for the plaintiff was a very fair description of its condition and himself testified that it was in a very rotten condition. To insinuate that I alone testified to these facts and give the public the idea that I had done something I ought not to have done as an excuse for defeat was cowardly.

The whole truth is, that the city solicitor knew for months before the trial what I was to testify to, and knew from the city officials, including the city engineer and J. B. Temple, the commissioner of public works, that the timbers on the culvert were rotten as I said and he was not surprised.

The court without hesitation said it was poor law. When this law point fell to the ground the whole fabric of the defense fell with it and out of the ruins arose a \$3000 verdict.

Then comes chagrin, dismay. The public must be fooled and so I am pounced upon to throw dust in the eyes of the people. I do not believe that defeat is any excuse for slander.

I had been superintendent of streets about six weeks when the accident happened. It could not be expected that all the neglected culverts in the city could be examined in that short time in severe winter weather when culverts are filled with snow and ice.

JOHN J. MARSH

Cast for a Farce by Amateurs

The Father Mathew Dramatic club, which is to present the farce, "Done on both sides," at the Columbia opera house Thanksgiving eve, held a rehearsal last night. Those who are to take part are getting their work well in hand and the piece is sure to furnish much amusement. The characters will be taken as follows: "Mr. Whiffles," William F. Smith; "Mr. John Brommelyn," James Pendergast; "Mr. Pygmalion Phibes," William Garvey; "Mrs. Whiffles," Miss Margaret McEade; "Lydia Whiffles," Miss Nellie Hogan. After the farce there will be a concert and dance, and a very pleasant entertainment is anticipated.

To Institute Charlemont Lodge

Oneco lodge worked the third degree on one candidate last night. Tomorrow the officers of the lodge will go to Charlemont for the purpose of instituting the new Union lodge of that town.

WILLIAM MCKINLEY CIRCLE

New Lodge of Companions of The Forest Starts With 60 Members

The William McKinley circle, Companions of the Forest, met last night and elected officers, the result being as follows: Past chief companion, Mrs. James Coughlin; sub chief, Mrs. R. C. Lucius; financial secretary, Mrs. E. L. Crozier; treasurer, Mrs. B. Mathews; recording secretary, Miss Mary O'Neill; right guide, Mrs. Kelley; left guide, Miss Angeline Lefevre; inside guard, Miss Nora Reagan; outside guard, Miss Cora Caron; trustees, Mrs. Hanley, Mrs. Mary Roberts and Miss Celia Tatro.

Tomorrow night the new circle will be instituted in Odd Fellows' lodge room, Supreme State Deputy Mrs. John Kane and officers of the Tunnel City circle conducting the institution ceremonies. There are over 60 members in the new circle and it starts off with the brightest prospects. Companions from Pittsfield and Turners Falls will be present tomorrow night.

COUGHING



Thousands Preparing the Lungs for Pneumonia and Consumption In This Way.

HOW TO PREVENT IT.

"I coughed all night long," is an expression you hear daily at this season of the year, and these same people are the very ones who later on will sicken and die of pneumonia or consumption.

It is the strangest thing in the world that people having a slight pain in the stomach will rush to the doctor's or druggist's for medicine, but do nothing for a cough that is irritating the bronchial tubes and lungs and making them ready to receive and nourish the germs of pneumonia and consumption, which are inhaled daily by every living person.

Formerly there might have been some excuse for this, but now that the United States Health Reports and Government Statistics have pointed out a remedy by which coughs, catarrh and consumption can be cured, there is none.

Hyomei, the new dry air germicide is the only remedy ever endorsed by such an authority, and during the past year has reduced the death rate from consumption 35 per cent.

Coughs, Colds, Croup, Catarrh and Consumption cannot exist where Hyomei is breathed daily. There are no teaspoonful doses, nothing but a little inhaler charged with Hyomei. A few inhalations at any time during the day or night will allay all irritations, stop the cough and destroy all disease germs breathed into the head, throat and lungs.

Hyomei costs but \$1.00 either at your druggist's or sent by mail and will last one month if used twenty times daily. Send for a trial treatment and our book on respiratory diseases. Both are free.

The R. T. Booth Co., Ithaca, N. Y.

HAIR HEALTH

LARGE 50c BOTTLES AT DRUG STORES. For color and natural beauty of hair, use this hair soap. It is not a dye, it will not discolor the hair, and its use causes falling and breaking of the hair, is not a dye, it will not discolor the hair, and its use causes falling and breaking of the hair.

SOME FOOLISH PEOPLE Allow a cold to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say: "Oh, it will wear away," but in most cases it will wear them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 25c and 50c. Trial size free. At all druggists.

J. W. Stiffler. Room 5, Burlingame Block. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Cotton bought and sold for cash or carried on moderate margins. Private wires to New York and Boston.

OUT WEST

Everybody uses the OLIVER TYPEWRITER.

The Oliver is an Illinois product and the company's offices are in Chicago, so the machine naturally became known in the West first. But it is rapidly gaining in popularity all over this country, in Europe and South America. 35,000 sales in 35 months is its record. It writes in sight.

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Special Notices received too late for classification, will be found on page 5.

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TO RENT—House 135 River street \$15 month; house School street \$10; house East Brooklyn street \$7. Joseph F. Reed, North Adams Savings bank block, 148-1f

TO RENT—A seven room cottage, with bath, hot and cold water and electric lights. Inquire 187 Church street, 147 16*

TO RENT—Furnished room, large and pleasant, first floor, steam heated with bath. Suitable for two gentlemen or man and wife. 11 Hall street, 145-1*

TO RENT—A tenement at 52 Chase avenue. Inquire at 50 Chase avenue, or of H. S. Lyons, Main street, 147f

TO RENT—Furnished room with steam heat. Inquire at 19 Center street, top floor, 147 16*

TO RENT—A six room tenement corner North and William streets. Inquire Mr. B. Hathaway, 105 North street, 144 16*

TO RENT—Desirable tenements on Veazie street. Inquire 20 Veazie street, or Mark Ducharme at Wellington Hotel barber shop, 146 16*

TO RENT—House of 6 rooms 13 Elm street, second floor, steam heat furnished \$12 a month. Inquire 69 Quincy street after 5 p. m. 141-1f

TO RENT—A good 4-room tenement \$5 per month at 24 Wesleyan street. Inquire on the premises. 146 16*

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms with heat and bath. Inquire 105 River street, 146 16*

TO RENT—An 8-room tenement at 120 Holden street, \$16 per month. W. H. Sperry, 128 1f

TO RENT—Tenements with modern improvements in desirable localities. B. J. Boland, 41 Eagle street, 131f

TO RENT—A fine flat; all modern conveniences; also barn. 215 East Main street. Inquire Mrs. F. P. Brown, 131-1f

TO RENT—Tenement six rooms, bath hot and cold water, three or four minutes walk from post office. Inquire 169 Pleasant street, 131-1f

TO RENT—One tenement on Glen avenue of six rooms, and one on Cliff street of four rooms. All modern improvements; reasonable rents. Inquire of Ryan Bros., 131 Union St., or M. P. Ryan on the premises. 140f

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FIELD OF DIPLOMACY

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AMERICAN RULE OF CONDUCT

Governed by Monroe Doctrine and Golden Rule—Not Craving South American Territory—Want Friendship of World and Its Trade

New York, Nov. 20.—The 133d annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce was held at Delmonico's last evening. Covers for 450 were laid in the main banquet room. Professional and business circles were well represented in the list of the guests.

In introducing Secretary Hay, the chief guest of the evening, President Roosevelt proposed a toast to "Our Diplomacy." The secretary was warmly welcomed by the guests and his speech at various points met with great enthusiasm. After he concluded, Secretary Hay was obliged several times to acknowledge the applause accorded him by the diners.

After an eloquent tribute to the memory of Mr. McKinley Mr. Hay said: "I am asked to say something about our diplomacy. There was a time when diplomacy was a science of intrigue and falsehood, of traps and mines and counter-mines. It may be another instance of that naive credulity with which I have often been charged by European critics when I say that I really believe the world has moved onward in diplomacy as in many other matters."

"In my experience of diplomatic life I can say without hesitation that we have generally told squarely what we wanted, announced early in negotiations what we were willing to give, and allowed the other side to accept or reject our terms. During the time in which I have been prominently concerned in our foreign relations, I can also say that we have been met by the representatives of other powers in the same spirit of frankness and sincerity."

"The briefest expression of our rule of conduct is, perhaps, the Monroe doctrine and the golden rule. With this simple chart we can hardly go far wrong."

"I think I may say that our sister republics to the south of us are perfectly convinced of the sincerity of our attitude. They know we desire the prosperity of each of them, and peace and harmony among them. We no more want their territory than we covet the mountains of the moon. We are grieved and distressed when there are differences among them, but not even our earnest desire for peace among them will lead us to any action which might offend their national dignity or their just sense of independence."

"As to what we have tried to do—what we are still trying to do—in the general field of diplomacy, there is no reason for doubt on the one hand or reticence on the other. We have striven, on the lines laid down by Washington, to cultivate friendly relations with all powers, but not to take part in the formation of groups or combinations among them. A position of complete independence is not incompatible with relations involving not friendship alone, but concurrent action as well in important emergencies. We have kept always in view the fact that we are pre-eminently a peace-loving people; that our normal activities are in the direction of trade and commerce; that the vast development of our industries imperatively demands that we shall not only retain and confirm our hold on our present markets, but seek constantly, by all honorable means, to extend our commercial interests in every practical direction."

"It is for this reason we have negated the treaties of reciprocity which now await the action of the senate; all of them conceived in the traditional American spirit of protection to our own industries, and yet mutually advantageous to ourselves and our neighbors. In the same spirit we have sought successfully to induce all the great powers to unite in a recognition of the general principle of equality of commercial access and opportunity in the markets of the Orient. We believe that 'a fair field and no favor' is all we require; and with less than that we cannot be satisfied. If we accept the assurances we have received as honest and genuine, as I certainly do, that equality will not be denied us; and the result may safely be left to American genius and energy."

"We consider our interest in the Pacific as great now as those of any other power and destined to indefinite development. We have opened our doors to the people of Hawaii; we have accepted the responsibility of the Philippines which providence imposed upon us; we have put an end to the embarrassing position in which we were involved in Samoa, and while abandoning none of our commercial rights in the entire group, we have established our flag and our authority in Tutuila, which gives us the finest harbor in the south seas. Next in order will come a Pacific cable, and an isthmian canal for the use of all well-disposed peoples, but under exclusive American ownership and American control—of both of which enterprises President McKinley and President Roosevelt have been the energetic and consistent champions."

"Sure as we are of our rights in these matters, convinced as we are of the authenticity of the vision which has led us thus far and still beckons us forward, I can yet assure you that so long as the administration of your affairs remains in hands as strong and

skillful as those to which they have been and are now confined, there will be no more surrender of our rights than there will be violation of the rights of others. The president is as incapable of bullying a strong power as he is of wrongdoing a weak one.

"We frankly confess we seek the friendship of all the powers; we want to trade with all peoples; we are conscious of resources that will make our commerce a source of advantage to them and of profit to ourselves. But no wantonness of strength will ever induce us to drive a hard bargain with another nation because it is weak, nor will any fear of ignoble criticism tempt us to insult or defy a great power because it is strong, or even because it is friendly."

America's Great Future
Paris, Nov. 20.—Julius Siegfried lectured last night at the Musee Social on his recent tour in America. He predicted that the present century would see the United States the greatest and most powerful commercial and industrial nation in the world. "If France is wise," he said, "she will not delay to take advantage of America's traditional friendship in order to secure the means, by a give and take policy, to get a fair share of this vast, unlimited and ever-increasing field of commercial enterprise beyond the Atlantic."

Back to Civil Service
Washington, Nov. 20.—On the recommendation of Secretary Root and Assistant Secretary Sanger, President Roosevelt has signed and promulgated an order restoring the operation of the civil service rules to all those places in the quartermaster, medical, ordnance and engineer departments at large of the United States army, which were taken out by President McKinley's sweeping amendments of May 23, 1899, while Messrs. Alger and McKeljohn were running the war department.

"Doctors" Milk Confiscated
Paterson, N. J., Nov. 20.—Under the new and exceedingly strict pure food law of New Jersey, which went into effect Nov. 1, a large force of state inspectors swooped down on the milk dealers of this city yesterday. Hundreds of gallons which the inspectors said had been watered were poured into the gutters. In each case samples were taken from the cans to be tested, with a view to prosecutions.

Lucky to Escape Death
Portland, Me., Nov. 20.—During a heavy snowstorm yesterday the engineer on a mountain division freight train saw something dragging near the pilot. The train was brought to a stop and Carl Warren was found lying half on and half off the cowcatcher. The man was alive, but unconscious. He was brought to a hospital here, where he is in a serious condition.

Ice Combine a Reality
Providence, Nov. 20.—The Providence Ice company, after an outlay of nearly \$1,000,000, yesterday assumed formal control of the affairs of the combination of ice companies of this city and surrounding towns. Contracts will be given at once for the erection of an artificial ice plant which will have a capacity of 100 tons a day.

Six Ribs Sawed Through
Vernon, Vt., Nov. 20.—Harry Thayer was frightfully cut by a circular saw yesterday. The accident happened by his clothing being drawn into a running belt. He was thrown backward on the saw bench, so that the saw severed six ribs and penetrated his lung. To close the gap in his back 50 stitches were needed. He may recover.

Consolidation of Banks
Boston, Nov. 20.—The National Shawmut bank stockholders have bought two-thirds of the capital stock of the National Bank of the Commonwealth at \$225 a share cash and will pay that price for the balance of the stock. The directors of both banks have voted in favor of a consolidation, which will take place at once.

Wrecked on Pollock Rip
Hyannis, Mass., Nov. 20.—The crew of the schooner Guardian, from New York for Louisville, N. S., with a cargo of coal and sand, were landed here yesterday by the lighthouse steamer Azalea. The schooner struck on Pollock Rip Monday night and will be a total loss. The captain and crew lost all their effects.

Fisher and Betts Held
Boston, Nov. 20.—J. M. Fisher and Fred E. Betts, charged with intention to defraud, by means of the United States mail, were held for the United States grand jury yesterday, after a prolonged hearing of their case before United States Commissioner Fiske. The men conducted an alleged investment company.

Hart Gets Renomination
Boston, Nov. 20.—Amid prolonged cheering and with the deafening accompaniment of a cowbell which some one had smuggled into the hall, Thomas N. Hart was last night unanimously renominated for mayor by the Republican municipal convention.

Mrs. Stevens Re-elected
Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 20.—Mrs. Lilian M. Stevens was unanimously elected president of the W. C. T. U. for the coming year; Mrs. Susanna Fry, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Clara Hoffman, recording secretary, and Mrs. Helen Morton Barker, treasurer.

Low Seeks Platt's Advice
New York, Nov. 20.—Mayor-elect Low has invited Senator Platt to confer with him upon municipal matters. He made the announcement just before leaving his headquarters last evening. The conference will be held tomorrow.

Abandoned at Sea
London, Nov. 20.—The Norwegian bark Ada, from Savannah for Hamburg, was abandoned, having been wrecked by a gale on Nov. 6. The French steamer Bordeaux rescued the crew and brought them to Havre.

CHALLENGE OF CROKER

Wants Reformers to Substantiate Statements or Retract

SLANDERED BY CLEGG

Defies Them to Prove Assertions That He Is a Thief or Ever Got a Dollar Dishonestly—No Corruption Found in Tammany Organization

New York, Nov. 20.—Richard Croker broke his silence toward interviewers yesterday and made a statement defying his political opponents. He said: "Now that our enemies have the full machinery of government at their command and all the power and authority that is necessary, I defy them to prove a single assertion that they have made against me or to show that I have made a dollar dishonestly."

"If Tammany Hall had advocated Sunday openings the newspapers would have pounded the life out of us. The very people who are now supporting the Republicans would have condemned us. That includes the clergy. Yes, the clergy would have assailed me even more than they did, if possible."

"It appears that the clergy is strongly opposed to you," said a reporter.

"Yes," said Mr. Croker, "but now they are in power and I defy them to prove what they have said against me. They have slandered me without reason. These clergymen have announced from their pulpits that I am a common thief. I challenge them to prove it. They have said all along that I never got a dollar dishonestly—that I have no legitimate business. They know it is a lie."

"All along the Republicans, following the line of attack on me by the ministers in the pulpits, have charged me with all manner of crimes, every one of which is absolutely false. They have charged me with corrupting the police force and with making money out of the department. They have charged me with making money out of the gamblers, saloons and dives. The charges have been broad enough for the ministers to make them good if they can. Now they are in power, let them try to make the charges good."

"They cried all through the campaign that the Tammany administration was rotten and corrupt. They evidently forgot that they had their own vote-gating committee down town. Albany and what did they find? Nothing. The city government was all right. They had the Merchants' association make an investigation. Why didn't the association make a report? Because they found things all right. They did make one false report on the water department. That's all they did. Now I see the successful candidates, from the mayor down, are finding the city government all right. They won't find anything wrong. Time will show. One I wish the ministers would try and prove the charges they have made against me."

Tim Sullivan supplemented Croker's remarks, saying: "Croker will stay at the head of Tammany Hall as long as he lives. Tammany will set to work at once to win the next municipal election."

summary Action by Buffalo's Mayor
Buffalo, Nov. 20.—Mayor Dahill yesterday suspended City Treasurer Philip Gerst from office. In the notice of suspension the mayor charges Gerst with misconduct in office and with having kept inaccurate and false accounts. The examination of the treasurer's accounts, which has been in progress for several days, will be continued.

Family Murdered and Mutilated
Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 20.—The dead bodies of A. P. Wilcox, his wife and their 2-year old son, were found in their home at Downey yesterday. The premises indicated that the assailant had met with a fierce resistance. Wilcox and his family had been shot and then cut to pieces with a knife. No clue to the murderers has been found.

Treasury Officials Not Worried
Washington, Nov. 20.—Treasury officials feel no apprehension on account of the exportations of gold. It is known that Secretary Gage regards the shipments as a very natural movement in view of the quite general demand for money in Europe, and that he believes there is nothing in the situation to cause the least uneasiness.

Opinion Plainly Expressed
London, Nov. 20.—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is the subject of much severe comment today for having declared in a speech last night at Plymouth that he despised of overcoming the peril now facing the country in South Africa so long as Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Kitchener held their present offices.

NEWS IN BRIEF

A large clock with chimes, valued at \$5000, has been donated to the Ridgefield, Conn., Congregational church by the Misses King of Albany, in memory of their father, J. Howard King.

After some weeks' delay, the regimental officers have received what was thought to be the famous flag of the 42d Massachusetts regiment captured in Texas 38 years ago, but which is really only the marker. It is now thought that the battleflag is not in existence.

The Y. M. C. A. home for its railroad department, as applied to the Boston and Maine railroad, was formally opened at Boston and the expectations of those interested in its establishment were more than realized.

LABOR TROUBLES AT LYNN

Strikes in Four Factories May Tie Up Entire Morocco Industry

Lynn, Mass., Nov. 20.—Labor troubles that have been brewing for several days, but which have not assumed serious proportions until now, threaten to tie up all the Morocco factories in the city unless some satisfactory settlement is reached.

The trouble is between the manufacturers and the Glazers' Union of the Socialist Trade and Labor Alliance. At present four shops are affected and it seems certain that the entire Morocco industry will be affected, in view of the present temper of the workmen. The main question at issue is the recognition of the union, although the question of price and week work is involved.

At the factory of Peverar & Co., it is said that Mr. Peverar asked if his glazers were members of the union and when he learned that they were, he notified them that they would be needed no longer. They thereupon struck and succeeded in taking 14 non-union men out with them. A line of pickets was placed about the factory.

At the factory of Thomas Kelly & Co., there was a small strike over the question of prices and Mr. Kelly has shut down his factory, throwing 250 hands out of work.

Trouble over the price of piece work has caused a strike of the glazers at the A. B. Hoffman factory. Mr. Hoffman recently put some of the men on piece work, and the men claim that he has violated his agreement with the union.

At the Weber Morocco company's factory the glazers had asked an increase of \$1 a week and the company agreed to give the advance to some, but not to all. This displeased the glazers and they quit work. Yesterday the strikers came out in sympathy.

The Socialist Trade and Labor Alliance held a big mass meeting last night and made plans for meeting all the members of the union and to call out all the strikers and beamsters in the factories affected. If this is done it will completely tie up all the factories.

Boston Officer Wins

Toledo, Nov. 20.—Anna Evans, a pickpocket, was again turned over to a Boston detective yesterday and he is taking her to Boston. The woman is wanted in a number of states. She was arrested in Detroit last week and held for the Boston authorities. A Boston detective, armed with requisition papers, took charge of her and started to Boston with her last Saturday. While changing trains in this city a deputy sheriff served habeas corpus papers on the detective and after a fight the latter was compelled to turn her over to the local authorities. The allegations set forth in the proceedings were not sustained.

Met Death in Peculiar Manner

Alexandria, Ind., Nov. 20.—Charles Ott, 13 years old, found a nitro-glycerine can in the rear of his home and tying it about his waist, proceeded to beat on his improvised drum. A terrible explosion, which shook the city, followed. The boy was blown to pieces. The can had been left on the spot by well-shooters two weeks ago, and it was supposed that not enough of the explosive remained to be dangerous.

A \$10,000,000 Mortgage Cancelled

Jersey City, Nov. 20.—A mortgage for \$10,000,000, given Jan. 10, 1891, by the American Sugar Refining company to the Central Trust company of New York, and filed on that date with the register of Hudson county, has been cancelled. The mortgage was to secure an issue of 6 percent first mortgage bonds which were to mature in 1911. It was given when the sugar company was organized.

In One Position Fifty-Seven Years

Utica, N. Y., Nov. 20.—At a meeting of the board of trustees of Hamilton College yesterday Professor Edward North resigned the professorship of Greek, having completed 57 years in the service of the college, under five successive presidents. The resignation was accepted and Professor North was elected emeritus professor of the Greek language and literature.

Against Jim Crow Cars

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 20.—The negroes who have instituted a boycott against the street cars on account of the recent ordinance separating the races on the cars, held a mass meeting and agreed to organize a stock company to operate a stage coach service throughout the city exclusively for the negroes.

Lawyer Charged With Theft

Chicago, Nov. 20.—George W. Cass, ex-secretary of the Illinois Bar association, was indicted yesterday by the grand jury on the charge of having embezzled \$25,000. The property involved, according to the testimony, belonged to friends and relatives of Cass.

Want Memorial at Washington

Washington, Nov. 20.—The William McKinley National Monumental association having received from the association for the erection of a McKinley monument at Canton a request that it suspend its appeal to the public for contributions until the fund deemed necessary for the erection and maintenance of the Canton monument has been secured, has determined that it would be impracticable to do so, because the long and definite delay involved would mean the defeat of its purpose.

Youngsters Caused Great Anxiety

Hallifax, Nov. 20.—Three small boys who were supposed to have been lost in the woods near Amherst were found last evening 18 miles from their homes. Over 300 men were engaged in the search for them. The boys were hiding in an old mill, fearing to return to their homes after so long an absence.

Depositors Unnecessarily Alarmed

Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 20.—The Metropolitan bank failed yesterday as a result of a run which started over a misunderstanding with regard to a suit filed against a defunct bank of a similar name. The deposits amount to \$500,000. Dwight Phelps was subsequently appointed receiver.

Germans to Settle in Oklahoma

Guthrie, O. T., Nov. 20.—Forty thousand acres of land near Navajo have been sold to a representative of a colony of Germans, and 1000 families are coming from Germany to locate there. Each family will get 40 acres.

THE HEAT OF THE SUN

THEORIES OF THE ORIGIN OF THE BLAZING ORB OF DAY.

The "Principle of Meteoric Formation by Mutual Gravitation Not Contradictory, Scientists Contend, to Known Physical Laws."

The sun being assumed to be an incandescent liquid, now losing heat, the question naturally occurs, how did this heat originate? It is certain that it cannot have existed in the sun through an infinity of past time, since as long as it has so existed it must have been suffering dissipation, and the finiteness of the sun precludes the supposition of an infinite store of heat in his body.

The sun must therefore either have been created as an active source of heat at some time of not immeasurable antiquity by an overruling decree, or the heat which he has already radiated away and that which he still possesses must have been acquired by a natural process following permanently established laws.

Without pronouncing the former supposition to be essentially incredible, we may safely say that it is in the highest degree improbable if we can show the latter to be not contradictory to known physical laws.

And we do show this and more by merely pointing to certain actions going on before us at present, which, if sufficiently abundant at some past time, must have given the sun heat enough to count, for all we know, of his past radiation and present temperature.

It is not necessary at present to enter at length on the details regarding the meteoric theory, which appears to have been first proposed in a definite form by Mayer and afterward independently by Waterston, or regarding the modified hypothesis of meteoric vortices, which the writer of the present article showed to be necessary in order that the length of the year, as known for the last 2,000 years, may not have been sensibly disturbed by their action, which the sun's mass must have had during that period, if the heat radiated away has always been compensated by heat generated by meteoric influx.

We may now believe that all the theories of complete or nearly complete contemporaneous meteoric compensation must be rejected, but we may still hold that "meteoric is not only proved to exist as a cause of solar heat, but it is the only one of all conceivable causes which we know to exist from independent evidence."

The form of meteoric theory which now seems most probable, and which was first discussed on true thermodynamic principles by Helmholtz, consists in supposing the sun and its heat to have originated in a collision of smaller bodies falling together by mutual gravitation and generating, as they must do, according to the great law demonstrated by Joule, an exact equivalent of heat for the motion lost in collision.

That some form of meteoric theory is certainly the true and complete explanation of solar heat can scarcely be doubted when the following reasons are considered:

First.—No other natural explanation, except by chemical action, can be conceived.

Second.—The chemical theory is quite insufficient, because the most energetic chemical action we know, taking place between substances amounting to the whole sun's mass, would only generate about 3,000 years' heat.

Third.—There is no difficulty in accounting for 20,000,000 years' heat by the meteoric theory.

It would extend this article to too great length and would require something of mathematical calculation to explain fully the principles on which this last estimate is founded.

It is enough to say that bodies, all much smaller than the sun, falling together from a state of relative rest, at mutual distances all large in comparison with their diameters, and forming a globe of uniform density equal in mass and diameter to the sun, would generate an amount of heat which, accurately calculated according to Joule's principle and experimentally tested, would be just 20,000,000 times Helmholtz's estimate of the annual amount of solar radiation.

The sun's density must, in all probability, increase very much toward his center, and therefore a considerable greater amount of heat than that must be supposed to have been generated if his whole mass was formed by the collision of comparatively small bodies. On the other hand, we do not know how much heat may have been dissipated by resistance and other impediments before the final conglomeration, but there is reason to believe that even the most rapid conglomeration that we conceive to have probably taken place could only leave the finished globe with about half the entire heat due to the amount of potential energy of mutual gravitation exhausted.

We may therefore accept as a lowest estimate for the sun's initial heat 10,000,000 times as much as Helmholtz's estimate, but 50,000,000 or 100,000,000 as possible in consequence of the sun's greater density in his central parts.

The considerations adduced above regarding the sun's possible specific heat, rate of cooling and superficial temperature render it probable that he must have been very sensibly warmer a million years ago than now, and consequently, if he has existed as a luminary for 10,000,000 or 20,000,000 years, he must have radiated away considerably more than the corresponding number of times the present year's amount of loss.

It seems, therefore, on the whole, most probable that the sun has not illuminated the earth for 100,000,000 years and is most certain that he has not done so for 500,000,000 years.

As for the future, we may say with equal certainty that inhabitants of the earth cannot continue to enjoy the light and heat essential to their life for many million years longer unless sources now unknown to us are prepared in the great storehouse of creation.—"Essays in Astronomy," by Lord Kelvin (Appleton & Co.).

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Mrs. Stocks—If we move into that cheap house, we'll lose caste.

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Mrs. Stocks—Huh! Just like a man! Only so you can be comfortable and pay every little bill as quick as it comes in you don't care what the world thinks!—New York Weekly.

Weather Conditions and Forecast

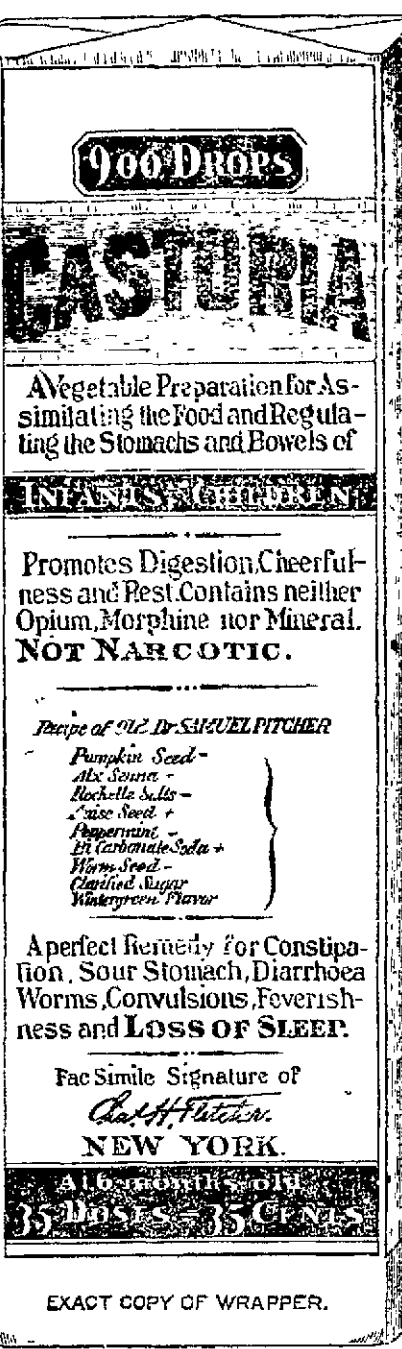
Almanac, Thursday, Nov. 21.

Sun rises—6:42; sets—4:18.

Moon sets—1:13 a. m.

High water—6:30 a. m.; 7 p. m.

Snow has fallen from the lower lake region eastward through New England. The temperature remains 4 to 20 degrees below the seasonal average east of the Mississippi river. Generally fair weather with comparatively low temperature may be expected in New England. On the coast the winds will be light to fresh and mostly northerly.



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I know not what record of sin awaits me in the other world, but this I do know, that I never was so mean as to despise a man because he was poor, because he was ignorant, or because he was black—John A. Andrews.

MEMBERS ASSOCIATED PRESS

The latest telegraph dispatches from all parts of the world are received exclusively by the Transcript up to the hour of going to press.

WE HOLD THE WESTERN GATEWAY

From seal of the City of North Adams.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON NOV. 20, 1901

ADVERTISERS in the Transcript are the best business men in the community. Their advertisements are worth reading and they are the firms with whom to trade most advantageously.

THE NEW DIOCESE

The answer of Dr. D. H. Greer of New York to the notification that he has been unanimously elected bishop of the new Episcopal diocese of western Massachusetts will be hopefully awaited, in the belief that he will accept the office. His acceptance will mean that the new diocese will start its work under a leadership calculated to inspire the confidence and enthusiasm which such an organization needs in beginning its mission. In the choice of a name, while the one selected is awkward, it is better than the name Worcester which was apparently the only alternative. The selection of the city to be the seat of the episcopacy is as yet undetermined, but there is little doubt that wisdom will rule and Springfield be chosen.

TWO SIDES TO THE SENTIMENT

The circulation of petitions in favor of an extension of the street railway line through Church street indicates that the opposition of the residents of that street is by no means unanimous. The same personal convenience that leads some of the residents near the center of the city to object to the extension leads others a little farther down to desire the road, and the question, even as it affects Church street alone, is seen to be two-sided. The only desire on the part of the city as a whole is to see the extension built and the development of the city which follows all extensions of lines of communication provided for. If another route of equal merit and equal practicability can be provided, the city would prefer to see Church street kept free from tracks, as the Transcript said when the discussion began. If this is impossible, the city certainly would favor the building of the line through Church street.

THE CATTLE SHOW

There was no apparent recognition of the fact in the annual meeting of the Agricultural society yesterday that the society is not doing for North Adams and for the community for which North Adams is the center all that such an institution should. If a slightly larger balance on hand than was the case last year was responsible for the failure to appreciate that the fair is doing little to advance the interests of the community, the society shows a narrowness of view that is hardly to be commended. Cattle show as at present planned has dragged on for many years and will doubtless drag on for some years longer if the business men of North Adams choose to allow it to do so. The attitude of the agricultural society is plainly such that the business men are the only ones who can be expected to realize and supply the need for a city and country fair which shall accomplish for the present community what cattle show accomplished for the community of a quarter of a century ago.

DAY TIME SHOPPING

Local merchants are reporting that the evening trade in their stores is slowly but surely decreasing, and that even Saturday evening is not the rushing, money-making time it used to be. The total volume of trade is by no means falling off, taking the stores together. It is rather increasing. But a far larger proportion of the trading is done in the day time, leaving the evenings free. The appearance of the business streets in the evening confirms this report. Evening shopping is slowly going out of fashion. And so it can be seen that the time is coming when the evening opening of stores will be needless and wholly undesirable.

able. Already the number of open evenings has been cut down to two, without inconveniencing anyone seriously. It is probably a good deal too soon to expect cutting off another evening but the present tendency towards day-time trading shows that it is not so many years ahead, after all. And in time, we may well believe, Saturday evening, which for years has been firmly established as shopping night, will find the majority of the stores closed. This latter is a long look ahead, perhaps, but in the larger cities already the opening of stores on Saturday night is almost done away with. And the local growth of the day trade and decrease of the evening trade shows that North Adams is taking on in another direction the characteristics of a metropolis.

CAPTAIN KIDD'S TREASURE

Some days ago another Captain Kidd story was announced, to the effect that a letter from Captain Kidd had been found, telling all about how to find his traditional buried wealth, all except telling just where the gold was located. The Boston Advertiser turns this story to good account as follows:

What a perennial subject of public interest and curiosity Captain Kidd's alleged hidden treasure is! The latest yarns about it are as tantalizing as any former ones, in that, as before, they seem to tell something, without, in fact, telling anything. However, the clue this time is sufficient to work on.

The Advertiser is in possession of an important part of the secret, which we now reveal for the first time, out of desire to serve the great public. The treasure which the pirate hid, just before he was hanged, more than 200 years ago, is in Boston harbor all right; but not on an island in the harbor. It is buried about 10 feet below the bottom of the present main ship canal. It can be found by deepening and widening the channel; in accordance with the plan which has been approved by the engineering experts representing the U. S. government, by the Boston chamber of commerce, by the Boston Merchants' association, and by numerous other high authorities hereabouts.

So surely as the proper excavations are made, that treasure will be discovered; or, if not, the citizens of Boston, and not they alone, but a great many other people, will share in financial benefits more than equal to all the treasure which the courageous and larcenous Kidd is supposed to have buried, plus interest on the same from that time to the present, compounded at 6 per cent, annually.

The Advertiser has applied the regulation fairy story moral to a very practical subject. Like the sons who plowed the ancestral acres for the gold their father was supposed to have buried, until much working of the soil had brought riches in its fertility, the digging of the channel in Boston harbor would more than rival the finding of Captain Kidd's buried wealth. It is a moral that should be taken to heart.

The Symphony orchestra deserves a livelier public interest than that displayed last night.

Now that the Pan-American is over, Buffalo has turned to the fascination of municipal scandals.

Washington now takes the lead in airing murder mysteries. Even the momentous affairs of the coming congress must take a back seat temporarily.

The argument of the doctors that vaccination is essential in time of small pox epidemic is not helped any by the lock-jaw cases in many cities. If vaccination is to be enforced, there should be rigid requirements as to the quality of serum used.

Although the text of the new Hay-Pauncefote treaty is not given out its terms are known enough to indicate that Ambassador Choate, who had charge of the draft for this country, has covered himself with glory. Coolidge, the Boston Journal's well known Washington correspondent, says of his work: "In the negotiations of the treaty Ambassador Choate has displayed the highest diplomatic skill, and his mastery of the law has been of great advantage in the final phrasing of the document."

If I Should Die Tonight

If I should die tonight,
My friends would look upon my quiet face
Before they laid it in its resting place,
And deem that death had left it almost fair;
And laying snow-white flowers against my hair,
Would smooth it down with tearful tenderness,
And fold my hands with lingering care—
Poor hands, so empty and so cold to-night!

If I should die tonight,
My friends would call to mind, with loving thought,
Some kindly deed the icy hands had wrought;
Some gentle word the frozen lips had said;
Errands on which the willing feet had sped;
The memory of my selfishness and pride,
My hasty words, would all be put aside,
And so I should be loved and mourned to-night.

If I should die tonight,
Even hearts estranged would turn once more to me,
Recalling other days remorsefully:
The eyes that chill me with averted glance
Would look upon me as of yore, perchance,
And soften, in the old familiar way:
For who could war with dumb, unconscious clay?
So I might rest, forgiven of all, to-night.

Oh, friends, I pray tonight,

Keep not your kisses for my dead, cold brow.
The way is lonely, let me feel them now.
Think gently of me; I am travel-worn;
My faltering feet are pierced with many a thorn.
Forgive, oh, hearts estranged, forgive, I plead!
When dreamless rest is mine I shall not need
The tenderness for which I long to-night.
—Belle E. Smith

COMMUNICATION

Church Street and the Trolley

Editor of the Transcript.
Some one said: "experience is a good teacher but a hard school." How true it is?

Recently there appeared in one of the local prints an article entitled: "Church street and the trolley"—and the reader was forcibly reminded, as he perused the same, of the old story of Rip Van Winkle—as he emerged from his lethargic trance. "Go away back and sit down," seemed to be the burden of the message, "let well enough alone; what was good enough for our grandfathers surely should be pleasing to us; away with the delusions of progress—disturb not the primitive methods of the past; a little more sleep and slumber then these things will precipitate themselves."

To be or not to be—the largest, best and most progressive city in Berkshire county is now being weighed in the balances and the writer believes that the citizens of our aggressive municipality, after giving due consideration to the increasing demand made upon us in every particular will realize that the unoccupied areas south of our city must be opened up in a convenient manner for improvement and that facilities must be provided for public conveyance.

Our present electric system, adequate though it may be relative to its present routes, should be extended for service in other parts of the city.

That South Church street and vicinity is in actual need of such transportation cannot be doubted even by the most prejudiced mind.

That the extension of the trolley system on Church street not only will be a benefit to the people in that section and vicinity but undoubtedly would increase property values beyond the most sanguine anticipations.

Such can be proven by investigation. Our great cities have learned the value of transportation and libitum, and we now find the most aristocratic high-ways occupied by the trolleys.

New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, are but a few examples of the above statement.

A. E. D.
Church street, November 19.

THE THEATERS

MUSIC AND DRAMA

Symphony Orchestra Concert at the Richmond, "Through the Breakers" at Empire

The The North Adams symphony orchestra, George D. Cleveland, leader, made its second public appearance last evening, giving a concert in Richmond theater. The audience was small, not over 150 people being present. It was smaller than the concert deserved, for although lacking the swing and finish of a professional orchestra such as would present similar music, it was in many respects a most pleasing program. The orchestra is larger than last year, with 17 violins, a number of young women being now included in the organization. It has gained in confidence as well as in strength, although there is still much to be hoped for in the way of harmony between leader and instruments. The orchestra selections were with two exceptions from last year's concert, it having been thought wiser to pay less attention to new music than to perfecting that already in hand. The new numbers were the opening overture, which was in some respects the most gracefully rendered of the program, and a selection from Bohemian girl. In the old music the closing march showed the greatest gain in confidence.

The orchestra was assisted by Miss Nellie Lind Wright of New York, soloist, and by the Schubert quartet of this city. Miss Wright sang four selections, showing a very flexible and marvelously well trained voice, which, however, lacked slightly in the quality of sincerity and sympathy. In artistic finish she showed the marks of careful instruction and excellent judgment, while the fact that this was her first attempt at concert singing may have had some influence in making her use of her voice seem somewhat mechanical. Hitherto she has sung only at recitals.

Miss Wright's work should gain rapidly with concert experience, when growing confidence adds the personal quality to her great technical skill and excellent voice. Her accompaniments were played by James Morely, chamber, and added much to the pleasure of her songs.

A cornet solo by Thomas Dalton gave pleasing variety to the instrumental numbers. The Schubert quartet, composed of Miss Tinker, Mrs. Dickie, J. J. Marriott and Maurice Phillips, rendered two very pleasing and well received numbers. Altogether the concert was one to appeal to lovers of music, especially to those who are anxious to see the best music given a place in North Adams home events.

"Through the breakers" played to a small audience at the Empire last evening and will be repeated this evening. It has been given here before in a popular price repertoire way, but not with the scenic effects shown last evening. The smugglers' cave and Devil's Neck scenes, both showing the same breakers, were the chief features, and while the escape of the heroine in a life car was not so thrilling as it might have been, the scenes were well done. The acting of the place was more conscientious and worthy of praise than is often the case in pieces of the kind.

Tickets for Mildred Holland in "The power behind the throne" go on sale Friday morning; the piece being presented in the Richmond next Tuesday

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evening. Few pieces have proved so thoroughly successful in attracting public attention through a single performance as did this when presented here last year. A return date was at once sought, but could not be secured, and now on its return there is likely to be one of the largest audiences of the season for it. The production of this year is unchanged, and has been winning everywhere the same praise given it here. The leading members of Miss Holland's supporting company are Lillian Norris, Rita O'Neal, Camille Porter, Thelma Thompson, Rose Gadsby, Wright M. Lorimer, Samuel Lewis, Wm. H. Pendergast, Del De Louis, Carter Weaver, Kenneth Davenport and Edward R. Lewis.

Lake Winnebago.
Lake Winnebago is remarkable for its shallowness. Although it is about 28 miles in length and 10 or 12 miles in width, it has a depth of only 25 feet. This is due to the fact that the lake's outlet is constantly deepening and that the inlet is gradually filling its bottom with a sandy or earthy deposit. But Winnebago's shallowness makes it remarkably rich in fish. Indeed, it is one of the most productive known. Shallow lakes always have more fish than deep ones; chiefly, perhaps, because there is more vegetation on the bottom of the shallow ones.

Birthday Cake Candles.
An ingenious woman has discovered a new way of fastening the candles to a birthday cake. Instead of the eye end of a large needle and run it into the lower end of each candle, about half way. The other half, thrust into the frosting of the cake, holds the candle firm and does not break the icing.

Blood, Will Tell.
"All my cows are blooded stock," said Farmer Hartz proudly.
"Blue blooded, I imagine," rejoined a frivolous summer boarder. "Judging from the milk."—Chicago News

SPREADS LIKE WILDFIRE.

When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, Ill., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years." You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, hence cures multitudinous of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, rundown man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold by Burlington & Darby, druggists.

PIOUS FRAUDS.

Memorials of German Traders of the Hansaatic League.
Facing the lower harbor of Bergen, at the end of a long row of quaint old warehouses, stands a venerable building more than 700 years old, called the Pinne-garden, one of the counting houses of the league, which has been preserved intact and is now a museum filled with interesting relics of that celebrated corporation. They show how its managers and employees lived and conducted business. The league owned the harbor and a considerable portion of the city and controlled not only its manufacturing, mercantile trade and foreign commerce, but also its fishing and picture business. The league was the most valuable industry. Bergen then, as now, was the greatest fish market in the world.

The management of the business of the league was intrusted only to Germans, who were imported for that purpose, and were not allowed to marry lest their wives should learn its secrets. The managers and clerks were housed in colonies of fourteen, each colony having control of certain interests and keeping separate accounts of its transactions. The men slept in cupboards built into the walls in a curious manner. They did their own cooking. They had their own church, with priests imported from Germany. They were pious scoundrels, as the evidence shows, for along with their clerical duties they kept books and pictures of the saints are records showing that they kept two sets of scales—one for buying and one for selling—and the attendant will show you a parchment book in which the manager notes for the edification of his employees that he cheated a fisherman out of 200 vogs of fish—a vog being their six pounds—and invokes "the blessing of God upon this small profit." This inscription over the door of the counting house reads, "Without God's blessing all is vain."

The money was kept in an immense ironbound chest, divided into compartments of various sizes, some of them holding a bushel, in which were deposited the various kinds of coin until the collector came to make his periodical settlement. At the bottom and in the sides of the chest are secret compartments for concealing contracts and other papers of value.—W. E. Curtis in Chicago Herald.

Told of a Woman Reporter.
At a gathering of women of the press in Buffalo the following humorous story was enjoyed by the fraternity. It was related as the experience of a reporter in a country town who went to get an obituary from a woman whose husband had hanged himself in the attic. The bereaved widow was a friend of the editor's, her paper, and the reporter was instructed to make no allusion to the hanging, talking with her. The first remark of the reporter, however, led up to a faux pas. "Very pleasant weather," she said, "of a beginning."
"Yes," answered the widow, "but I haven't had a pleasant Monday for weeks in a long time."
"Oh, I shouldn't think you would mind that," said the reporter. "Mamma always envied you. She said you had such a go at it in which to hang things."—Buffalo Express.

AN IRRITATING GAZE.

Studying the Feet Opposite You in a Street Car.

"People sometimes look better going from you," said a man who observes things, "than coming your way. A girl with a profile that is admirable, bewitching almost, will give you the licoon when she turns her face toward you. The handsomest man or woman has a bad point of view, or one, if not exactly bad, that he or she probably has discovered is not quite the best, and so they make it convenient to turn the other cheek."

"But a place where you can study character in abandon is in the row of feet on the other side of a street car. Look at them, but don't let their owners know what you are doing—at first, at least. Afterward, if you are a detestable, disagreeable, inconsiderate, unsympathetic person, just keep staring at them, up and down the row, and see them cringe and turn and draw up into the folds of skirts and toe in and out, while a dozen uncomfortable, embarrassed, poor, weak mortals over the way show by every sign and expression how they hate and fear your complacent gaze. It won't do them any good to look daggers, because you have the drop on them. They are wondering just what sort of an awkward position their feet were in when you first began gazing at them—whether you saw a white stocking through a cracked shoe."

"It never occurs to the miserable ones to look at your feet. If it does, get off at the next corner. You, who know and have seen, should never permit yourself to be made to feel the humiliation of having your feet caught, the worst one forward. Some people go through life putting their best foot forward, but there comes a day when the second step gives them away."

"So if your shoes need a polish or new laces, if they are cracked across the toe or a sole coming off, if they are all run over and show how bowlegged you must be if the truth were only known, or if a dozen other things about your nether half don't just exactly suit you, don't ride on a street car after this is printed, for some one is going to take it all in sitting opposite you just as sure—well, as sure as that you have read this and have been doing the same thing yourself."—New York Mail and Express.

OLD FASHIONED FOLK.

What has become of the old fashioned man who wore a shawl?

What has become of the old fashioned woman who used to say, "Well, did you ever see the like?"

What has become of the old fashioned woman who came to town on circus day with a turkey wing fan?

We refuse to decide if a woman is old fashioned or not until we have tasted vegetable soup of her making.

What has become of the old fashioned woman who always served pickled tongue when she had company for supper?

What has become of the old fashioned men who "bearded" the children—who caught them and rubbed their whiskers against their faces?

What has become of the old fashioned woman whose fid it was not to collect spoons, teapots or stoves, but to make a collection of babies?

What has become of the old fashioned woman who thought she could not invite a soul to the house to eat without including the preacher and his wife?—Atchison Globe.

THE OLD WAY

Of Treating Stomach Trouble and Indigestion, a Barbarous and Useless One

We say the old way but really it is the common and usual one at the present time and many dyspeptics, and physicians as well, consider the first step in attempting to cure indigestion is to diet, either by selecting certain food and rejecting others or to greatly diminish the quantity of food usually taken.

In other words the starvation plan, is by many, supposed to be the first essential in the cure of weak digestion. The almost certain failure of the starvation cure for stomach trouble has been proven time and again, but still the usual advice, when dyspepsia makes its appearance, is a course of dieting.

All this is radically wrong. It is foolish and unscientific to recommend dieting or starvation to a person suffering from dyspepsia because indigestion itself starves every organ and every nerve and fibre in the body.

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Leave North Adams—Eastward.
For Greenfield, a2.15, *5.10, 7.25, 9.49, 11.28 a. m., *1.08, 3.08, 4.52, 6.49 and *2.00 p. m.
For Fitchburg and Boston, a2.15, *5.10, 7.25, 9.49, 11.28 a. m., *1.08, 3.08, 4.52 p. m., *2.00 p. m.
For Worcester, a2.15, *5.10, 9.49 a. m., 1.08, 3.08 p. m.
Leave North Adams westward.
For Williamstown, Hoosick Falls, Troy and Albany, a5.40, 7.37, 9.56 a. m., 12.10, 12.20, 1.53, *2.23, 4.49, *5.08, *9.00, 10.40 p. m.
For New York, a5.40, 7.37, 9.56 a. m., 10, 12.20, 1.53, 5.08, 9.00 p. m.
For Saratoga, 7.37 a. m., and 4.49 p. m.
For Bennington and Rutland, (via 23. d. R. R.) 7.37 a. m., 1.53 and 4.49 p. m.
For Rotterdam Junction and the east, 1.53, *5.08, *9.00, 10.40 p. m.
For Mechanicville, 7.37 a. m., *5.08, 9.00 p. m.

Trains Arrive
From east, a5.35, 7.37, 9.56 a. m., 10, 1.53, *2.23, *5.08, 4.49, *9.00, 10.40 p. m.
From west, a2.02, a2.10, *5.10, 7.25, *9, 11.28 a. m., *1.08, 1.27, *2.00, 3.08, 2, 6.49, *6.43, 9.00 p. m.
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TODAY'S EVENTS

Empire theater—Through the Breakers.
Hose 3 whist party.
Foresters' hall—Carpenters' union smoke talk.
Odd Fellows' hall—Meads' social.
Woman's Relief corps meets.
Carpenters' union meets.
Teamsters' union meets.
Mountain lodge, A. O. U. W., meets.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

—The St. Jean Baptiste society did only routine business at its meeting last night.
—The Epworth league meeting last night was well attended. Charles Lober led the meeting and the subject was "Preaching and hearing."
—The registrars at their session yesterday added 24 names to the voters' list. Three more sessions will be held before the city election.
—Miss Temple of the public library will give her talk on how to use the library in connection with school work to the seniors at Drury tomorrow.
—The women of the Golden Star will have their usual afternoon whist party at the home of Mrs. Jones, No. 2 Blackinton block tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock.
—After the rendering of the verdict in the Miller case yesterday, the superior court gave its attention to cases from the south part of the county of North Adams.
—At the meeting of the Pittsfield high school football team yesterday afternoon Alexander Kennedy, Jr., was elected captain of the 1905 team. Kennedy played fullback this season.
—Contractor Sherman, who has finished most of his work here, has taken his workmen to Pittsfield, where the work of completing the pumping station at the sewage disposal plant is being rushed with all possible speed.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Perkins, principal of the Charlemont high school, visited Drury today.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Woodbury left the city yesterday to visit their sons in Beverly for three weeks.
Miss Margaret E. Buckley of the Natural bridge has returned from a week's visit in New York, Boston and Fall River.
Mrs. C. B. Tiffany and Miss Marie Evans of Seymour, Conn., are the guests of Mrs. J. F. Torrey.
Mrs. M. A. Hannum and Mrs. George Harrington have returned from a two weeks' visit to New York.

Celebration Tomorrow Night

The Williams celebration of the winning of the football championship will be held tomorrow night with a parade, bonfire, speeches in Goodrich hall and fireworks.

That New Hotel

There is nothing new in the hotel situation today. When seen this morning Mr. Gale said the project had not been given up. He will not be ready to make any further announcement for several days.

Fr. Donnelly at Washington

Rev. Fr. Donnelly of this city has gone to Washington, D. C., to attend the consecration of Dr. Conaty as bishop. Dr. Conaty was the pastor in Worcester of the church attended by Fr. Donnelly when a boy, and they are close friends.

Paper on Diphtheria

The monthly meeting of the North Berkshire Medical society was well attended at the Darrow last night. Dr. M. M. Brown entertaining. Dr. Howard of Williamstown read the first part of a paper on "Intubation in diphtheria," and the paper will be finished at a subsequent meeting. There were various reports of cases and it was a very interesting meeting.

Lantair Inquest

Judge Tucker of Pittsfield will hold an inquest in a few days on the death of Horace Lantair who committed suicide by shooting Sunday, November 10. Mamie Doyle, his housekeeper, who was arrested for drunkenness shortly after the body of Lantair was found, was able to appear in court yesterday and after being closely examined in regard to what she knew about Lantair, was released for a week as told yesterday. She expressed a desire to remain in Pittsfield, but the court told her to return to this city until her case is called next Tuesday. The officers have taken charge of the papers and property of Lantair.

The Boot and Shoeworkers

The boot and shoe workers' union held a meeting in the lasters' hall in the Adams block last night and decided that they would meet regularly in that hall every Tuesday evening. The matter of a meeting place has been under consideration for the past couple of weeks and at the lasters' union meeting Monday evening they offered terms which were satisfactory and were accepted. The boot and shoe workers also had three initiations and elected Harry Powell, Frank Miller and Arthur Dalgault trustees. These delegates were elected to the Central labor union; B. J. Cameron, Lester Moore, Eugene Sprague, Charles Peck and Ernest Pike.

Boy Left His Grandmother

A small boy named Sansoucie, who came to the city from Clarkburg with his grandmother yesterday, caused his grandmother considerable trouble and anxiety. The old lady stopped into a millinery store on Main street and while she was making a purchase the boy, who is only five years old, slipped out. He wandered along the street and gazed wistfully in at the pretty things in the show windows. When the grandmother missed the boy she notified Officer Rosasco and both started in different directions for the child. The officer found him on Eagle street and brought him back to the store on Main street. It was half an hour later when the boy's grandmother returned and was overjoyed to find him.

DR. GREER NOTIFIED

Refused to Talk to Newspapers Last Night, but the Official Committee

TO SEE HIM IN NEW YORK TODAY

William Arthur Gallup of This City on the Committee. Rev. Mr. Tebbetts and C. H. Read Also Honored by the Convention

Rev. Dr. David H. Greer of St. Bartholomew's church of New York city was unanimously elected the first bishop of Western Massachusetts at the primary convention in Christ church in Springfield yesterday. Not in the memory of the oldest clergyman among the delegates or as far as is known in the history of the Episcopal church has there been such an election as that which was held in the chapel of the parish house. No candidate was proposed against Dr. Greer and there was no question asked about his past or his religious views, and the three speakers paid him glowing tributes. The delegates cast their ballots and every one was for him. There had been no formal caucuses held, but at several informal gatherings the matter of his election was discussed and all the parishes were unanimous in favor of Dr. Greer, although in some sections of the new diocese it was felt that if he was not the unanimous choice some of the local rectors should be raised to the office. There is a trace of fear that Dr. Greer may refuse to become the bishop but his close friends think that he will accept when the matter is put strongly before him. The salary of the bishop of Western Massachusetts will not be as large as that which he is now receiving but some sufficient sum will be offered him so that he can live in proper state.

A committee left Springfield last night to meet Dr. Greer in New York and notify him of his election and urge acceptance. William Arthur Gallup of this city was a member of the committee.

When the Rev. Dr. Greer was seen at his residence, No. 342 Madison avenue, last night, he had already received an informal notification of his election to the bishopric. He said:—"Until I have received official information of the action of the convention, I must decline to express my intention in the matter. It would be a flagrant breach of courtesy were I to discuss my action before I have been formally told of my election. Any intimation which has been made regarding the course I intend to pursue is wholly unauthorized."

"I feel deeply honored, not alone by my selection, but by the unanimity with which it was made. It is, indeed a tribute of the highest kind, and I would be unworthy of it were I to measure it at less than its real value. When I have been officially notified I shall be glad to make public my reply."

Diocese of Western Massachusetts

There is little further to add to the excellent telegraphic report of the convention given in yesterday's Transcript. As foreshadowed in our dispatches, the name of the new diocese is to be the diocese of Western Massachusetts. There was a strong effort for calling it the Diocese of Worcester, but the majority of the delegates preferred to have the name of the state appear.

Rev. J. C. Tebbetts and William Arthur Gallup of this city were made members of the standing committee; C. H. Read is one of the nine trustees of the Episcopal fund; and Rev. J. Franklin Carter of Williamstown is a member of the missionary board.

The first convention of the diocese will be held in Springfield in the spring.

NON-SUPPORT CASE

Of Man Whose Former Wife Was Found Dead at Fish Pond

The district court session this morning was unusually short there being only three cases. Of these three only one was tried, the other two a case of drunkenness, and a charge of non-support against Henry Benton, being continued.

The complaint of non-support entered by the defendants wife, Cornelia E. Benton, whom he claims ran away from him about a year ago, soon after she claims to have married him. On the other hand she told the police yesterday, when she swore out a warrant that she had been supporting him all summer.

Benton was the husband of the woman who was found dead near the fish pond a little over a year ago, by whom he had five children ranging at the time from 18 months to 13 years, were taken in charge by the state board of charity in April 1899.

The case disposed of this morning was a charge of drunkenness against Sheriff Sheriffe. This was Sheriff's second appearance in court of three days. Sunday he got drunk and was arrested. Monday he got drunk again and on Tuesday he got drunk again and Wednesday he was sent to Pittsfield, where he will spend the next 30 days.

Reply From Mrs. McKinley

Court Bracewell, Foresters of America, sent resolutions of sympathy to Mrs. McKinley the night after the president was shot, and today James S. Coughlin, the committee which prepared and forwarded the resolutions received a card from Mrs. McKinley acknowledging the receipt of the resolutions and thanking the court for its sympathy.

Peter Harrington's Funeral

The funeral of Peter Harrington, whose death was reported yesterday, will be held at St. Francis church tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock and the burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. The lodge of Elks will attend in a body, and division A. O. H., to which he also belonged, will be represented by a delegation.

OBITUARY

Florence Agnes Butler-memo.

The death of Florence Agnes Butler, wife of John Roos, briefly mentioned in this paper yesterday, occurred at Marine City, Mich., Monday after an illness of 13 weeks of typhoid fever. During her long illness she was most tenderly and faithfully cared for, and twice she appeared to be on the road to recovery; but the hopes of her friends were vain for there were two very serious relapses, and the second was too much for her weakened constitution to stand.

Mrs. Roos was born in Denver, Col., September 25, 1871, and was therefore a little over 30 years old when she died. Early in life she was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Butler of this city and here she was reared and educated. She joined the Congregational church at the age of 11 and developed a strong Christian character that made her beloved by all who knew her.

She attended the public schools and was graduated from Drury with the class of '91, being salutatorian and poet. After one year at Smith college, she spent two years in travel in Europe and study in Germany.

After her return to this city she was married October 5, 1893, to John Roos of Coblenz, Germany. Mr. Roos was then employed in this city, but moved soon afterwards to New York. Mr. and Mrs. Roos had visited her home here a few times since.

The following tribute was written by a friend of Mrs. Roos:

Pew young North Adams women have touched as closely to many of its different circles as Mrs. Roos. Her early adoption by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Butler immediately awakened among their many friends a peculiar interest in the little new-comer, an interest that only grew as they watched the development of a rich nature. Then came the large circle of friends of her own age, the members of which found in the genuine and affectionate nature of broad sympathies and bright intelligence a valued friend. As she grew to young womanhood here and there out of many circles were formed enduring and helpful friendships. This rare quality of friendship-forming accompanied her into her German life and not a few will be the German friends that will sincerely mourn her early death.

So strongly did the charm of German life and character appeal to her that it seemed but dramatic fitness that not long after her return to this country one of Germany's stalwart sons claimed her as his bride and that in the language she had learned to love they could speak their vows.

A few happy wedded years of broadening experiences and new friendships followed, when what must always seem an untimely death broke the many deep and sweet relations.

Hearts are dust;
Hearts' loves remain.
Hearts' love will meet thee again.

Xavier Duteault

Xavier Duteault, aged 19 years, died last night at his boarding house on Union street. He was employed in the Beaver mill, where his hand was seriously injured a few weeks ago, and later he was attacked by typhoid fever, which was the cause of his death. He survived by his parents and several brothers and sisters, all of whom are in Canada. They have been notified and the body will probably be taken to Canada for burial.

PART OF INTESTINES REMOVED

Delicate Operation Performed on Rifenberg Boy at Hospital Today

The young son of Mr. Rifenberg underwent an important operation at the hospital this morning. The boy fell on a picket fence while in Missouri last summer and was injured in away that led to serious results. This morning a section of the bowels was removed by Drs. O. J. and M. M. Brown, assisted by Drs. Stafford and Bushnell. The boy rallied from the operation, but is in a critical condition, and what the result will be cannot be stated at this time. It was one of the most delicate operations ever performed in this city. As a result of his condition the boy had not been able to retain much nourishment for some time, and he was very weak when taken to the hospital.

Building Trades Council

The affiliated trades were represented by 65 per cent of their delegations at the meeting of the building trades council last evening. The reports showed that business had been generally good for the season, and the announcement that stone for building foundations would be sent and handled by union men hereafter was received with applause.

The masons have seated two new delegates in place of the two who recently left town. The new men are J. Lacross and J. Cassidy.

Hold a Peanut Party

Misses Mabel Carter and Geneva Avey entertained the Chapin club and friends at the home of the former on Houghton street Monday evening with a peanut party. Fred Herbert was awarded the prize for finding the most peanuts. The prizes for the best original poems on peanuts were given to Miss Della Reagan, Frank Goodnow and Fred Herbert. Musical selections were given and refreshments were served. The party dispersed at midnight after having had a delightful time.

Word from General Gordon

The local committee in charge of the General Gordon lecture has received word from him that he does not yet know what time he will arrive in North Adams but will write again as soon as he finds out. The letter was in answer to a letter of inquiry the Grand Army men being desirous of giving him a warm welcome to the city on his arrival.

PALMISTRY.

Professor Sterling will open Monday, Nov. 25 with his large school of Palmistry at 110 Main street with five first class palmists.

This is a chance of your life time. Ladies and gents 10c. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

CONTRACT FOR CAR BARN

And Addition to Zylonite Power Station Given to Sheehan & Co.

Sheehan & Co. have been awarded the contract to build a big barn for the Hoosac Valley street railway company at Zylonite and also a large addition to the power station there.

The car barn is to be constructed of wood and will be 39 by 130 feet. It is to replace the oldest of the three barns at Zylonite. This old barn is not of much use and will be torn down to make room for the new one, which will be large enough to accommodate many cars.

The addition to the boiler house will be of brick 40 by 70 feet, and will give room enough for doubling the power of the plant. Two large boilers, already ordered, will be placed in the new building.

The work of construction will be begun at once and pushed as rapidly as possible.

A DAY OF SCRUBBING.

The Real Thing in Housecleaning in Dutch Homes.

It was understood generally, says Mary A. Peikotto, writing in Scribner's on household ways in Holland, that our models would not pose on Saturday, that day being devoted exclusively to housecleaning within and without. Early in the morning every stick of furniture is rubbed and wiped carefully and taken out of the house. Then the women, with their skirts tucked up, entirely flood the rooms with bucket after bucket of water brought up from the canal by means of the shoulder yoke. With broom and brush they scour and scrub the red tiled floor and finally pull up a plug in one corner to let the water flow out, let us hope, into the canal.

While the floor is drying a great polishing goes on in the rest of the house. Brass lamps and candlesticks, tobacco boxes and ash trays, huge milk cans—all are lustrous until, like golden mirrors, they reflect the red checked, white capped faces bent over them.

The lacquer man is busy on Saturday. He goes from house to house painting the bread trays and honey cake boxes with designs of gaudy birds and wondrous leaves and flowers.

The street is a turmoil until noon, when order is partially restored and the scant midday meal partaken of. In the afternoon washing is resumed. The exteriors of the cottages are scrubbed from roof to pavement and every trace of mold removed, for in this low, wet air the green moss gathers quickly. Then the brick pavements are drenched and carefully dried, and I have even seen the women pull up their skirts and dip to their doorways in their wooden chaousons so as not to soil the immaculate sidewalk.

Lastly toward evening the entire village goes to the canal, and all the sabots are washed and whitened with pumice stone, spotless for the morrow. On Saturday evening all the pickets of the low black fences are decorated with rows of dripping footgear carefully graduated in size from the big wooden shoes of the father down to the tiny sabots of the youngest born.

Sulphur.

Sulphur occurs very widely distributed in the mineral kingdom, partly free and partly combined with other elements. The free sulphur is either found pure in regularly formed crystals or intimately mixed with earthy matters. In its native state sulphur is largely found in Sicily and Italy and as a general rule in abundant volcanic districts. The brittleness of sulphur renders the cleavage imperfect. Sulphuric acid is an important combination and a very dangerous one in inexperienced hands. Sulphur combined with a number of elements, such as iron, copper, lead, etc., furnishes the sulphides. In the vegetable kingdom sulphur is a small constituent of the albuminous bodies and of certain volatile irritant oils; moreover, the vegetable juices contain it in the form of certain sulphates.

Stockholm Impregnable.

There are a lot of picturesque old castles and fortresses on the coast of Sweden in which garrisons are still maintained, but they would not last an hour if attacked by modern guns and projectiles. They are re-enforced, however, by earthworks, with the very best of artillery. Swedish guns rank among the highest, and several Swedish patents in ordnance have been already adopted by the fortification board of the United States. All the harbors are protected by torpedoes, and Stockholm is absolutely impregnable from the sea, being situated upon a fiord or bay that cannot be entered except through passages that are narrow and easily defended.

GOLD HOARDED BY MISERS.

Millions in Yellow Gold Disappear Annually From Circulation.

The world is full of millions and millions of lost sovereigns. A competent authority has just completed some investigations which, he declares, show that in three years the Bank of England has lost trace of no fewer than 20,000,000 golden coins of the realm. This wholesale disappearance of the elusive sovereign has been going on for years. A river of gold has flowed unceasingly from Threadneedle street to all parts of the world, but it has come back only as a tiny yellow streamlet. What has become of the surplus in its wanderings? "Misers" is the unpoetical explanation for a great part of the disappearance. There still exist in this and other countries people who are unbusinesslike enough to hoard up gold and keep it lying idle by them for the sole pleasure of knowing it is there and occasionally counting it.

The people of India appear to be particularly addicted to a habit that is more reminiscent of medieval times than of an age when money is generally saved so that more can be made with it. In the treasury of Bombay it is estimated that 12,000,000 golden sovereigns are hoarded. If that is the record of Bombay alone, what is the full tale for the whole country? China, too, absorbs a vast amount of gold that never sees the light again. As a matter of fact, while the whole world is searching for and trying to acquire gold, a goodly part of it appears to be engaged in the less thrilling pastime of hiding it away.

Great Britain is not guiltless of this commercial sin. Dotted all over the kingdom are graveyards of gold which if discovered and opened might restore to circulation a vast amount of wealth at present absolutely useless. At a spot about two miles from Herefordshire beacons a treasure chest is recorded in the local history as having been buried by a great family once resident in the district. But the money cannot be found. There is a similar record in connection with Hulme castle, formerly a seat of a branch of the Prestwich family. Somewhere near Stokesley castle, Shropshire, there is believed to be hidden a great treasure chest filled with gold coins, but up to the present all efforts to find it have ended in failure.—London Mail.

GENERALSHIP OF A CAT.

The Masterly Manner in Which Fussy Cornered, Faced a Dog.

The mastery of herself which a cat can show when, having been caught in a position from which there is no escape, she calmly sits down to face out the threats of a dog is a marvelous thing, says a writer in the Boston Transcript. Every body has seen a kitten on a street doorstep, attacked by a dog ten times her size, as apparently self possessed as if she were in her mistress' lap. If she turns tail and runs down the street, she is lost; the dog will have a sure advantage of her. Even as it is, if he could get up courage enough to seize her on the spot, he would be able to make short work of her.

"You dare not touch me, and you know it!" is what her position tells the dog. But she is intensely on her guard in spite of the air of perfect content.

Her legs, concealed under her fur, are ready for a spring. Her claws are unsheathed. Her eyes never move for an instant from the dog. As he bounds wildly from side to side, barking with comical fury, those glittering eyes of hers follow him with the keenest scrutiny. If he blinks up his courage, she is ready; she will sell her life dearly.

She is watching her chance, and she does not miss it. The dog tries Fabian tactics and withdraws a few feet, settling down upon his forepaws.

Just then the sound of a dog's bark in the next street attracts his eyes and ears for a moment, and when he looks back the kitten is gone! He looks down the street and starts wildly in that direction and reaches a high board fence just as the cat is vanishing over the top of it. He is beaten.

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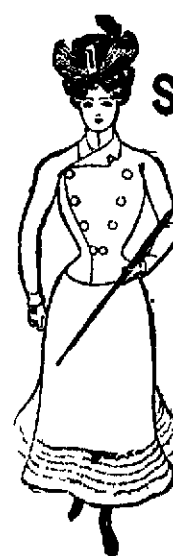
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WILLIAMSTOWN

SANG WITH MAUDE ADAMS.

Williamstown Girl Making a Hit in Music in Ithaca, N. Y.

Miss Elsie Noel, who entered the Ithaca, N. Y. conservatory of music with the last class, is proving a student of exceptional ability. At a recent benefit for the university Miss Noel sang with Miss Maude Adams, the well known actress, and the day following her photograph was printed in all of the Ithaca papers and comments made upon her singing, which was generally admitted to be unusually fine. The members of the faculty predict a bright future for her.

One of the customs of the incoming class according to standing and to award to the one who has passed the best examination a scholarship. Miss Noel was one of the 15 chosen and was the one to pass the examination and get the scholarship.

Miss Noel's friends will be much pleased to learn of her success. She is the daughter of Mrs. Casimere Noel of North street and for several years was organist in St. Raphael's church, resigning her position to enter the conservatory. She has sung in Williamstown many times the last one being at a benefit concert given by St. Raphael's church.

PLANS FOR CELEBRATION

The celebration of the victory over Anshert Saturday will doubtless be held tomorrow night though this is not yet certain. A mass meeting was held yesterday and a committee was appointed to take charge of the arrangements. William Eyderell, '02, of Tonnity, N. J., was elected chairman of the committee. The time for holding the celebration was left to the committee and tomorrow night has practically been decided upon. A feature of the affair will be a parade, which will be headed by a brass band. A big fire will also be built and the line of march will be illuminated with fireworks. After the outdoor celebration the students will retire to Goodrich hall where addresses will be made by members of the student body and faculty.

CROSS WALK NEEDED ON SPRING STREET.

There is a pressing need of a cross walk on Spring street near the college of Newland and Quinn. This place appears to be the place where the most people cross the street, excepting in front of the national bank, where there is a very good walk. At present the mud on Spring street is deeper than it should be for a macadam road, and a person who can cross with out losing a rubber has a knack all of his own. Another cross walk is also needed just below Morgan hall where the walk from the college campus crosses the road.

PRESIDENT OF TEMPLE CLUB.

The Temple club of White Oaks has elected W. G. Mitchell superintendent of schools, president of the club. Mr. Mitchell has been a member of the club since a short time after its organization and has taken a deep interest in it. He has addressed the members on various occasions and has given material assistance in making the organization an educator as well as a means of social enjoyment. Charles S. Cole was an active member and president but his illness has prevented him from attending meetings for a long time. The club is arranging for a series of winter events which promise to be very interesting.

DEATH OF FRANK MAAK.

Frank Maak, aged 41, died at his home on East Main street Tuesday after a long illness. His illness began more than a year ago and last week he was seized with a violent illness, which yesterday terminated in death. Mr. Maak was born in Troy, N. Y., and was the son of Christian Maak and Sophia Ingelman, both of whom were born in Germany. The remains were taken today to Petersburg, N. Y., where the funeral will be held and the burial will take place.

COACH HAZEN GOES TO NEW HAVEN.

Joe Hazen, coach of the football eleven left yesterday. He went to New Haven, where he will remain until after the Yale-Harvard game Saturday. Mr. Hazen was graduated from Yale in the class of '98 and played on the team of '97. After the game he will go to Boston, where he will spend the winter. It is very probable that he will be engaged next year.

UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICE.

Arrangements are being made for the union Thanksgiving service which will be held at 10.30 on the morning of Thanksgiving. Rev. E. B.

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THREE CALLS

In Which Former Lovers Meet and Compare Notes.

BY MABEL ROBINS.

"Why have you never married?" he asked.

She clasped her hands at the back of her charming head with a little yawn. "I have been unfortunate," she said. "All the men who wanted to marry me I did not care for, and all the men I cared for did not want to marry me. What are you going to do now you are home again?"

"I haven't decided about my future—except in one respect. I hope to marry." She turned to him in surprise. "Are you engaged, then?" she asked.

He shook his head. "I want to know if you will be my wife?" "A little color crept into her cheeks. "I wish you wouldn't," she said. "You should remember that you were always one of the men I did not want to marry."

"That was in the old days," quietly. "Why should there be any difference now? One could not change one's opinion during an hour's call."

"No," he said. "I thought so much any change in me that I thought would make you give me a different answer from that of ten years ago as the change in yourself and your circumstances."

"My circumstances are unaltered," she said wonderingly, "and as to myself—"

"You are a good deal older than you were ten years ago."

She flushed. "Then if you think I have aged so much," she cried sarcastically, "why do you want to marry me?"

"I never said I wanted to marry you," coolly. "But occasionally one's sympathies become aroused and carry one away with one in spite of oneself."

Her dark eyes flashed fire. "Sympathies?" she cried. "Why should I arouse your sympathies?"

"I don't know exactly, but somehow I always feel sorry for girls like you, who have to give way to a younger generation."

Her hands fell to her sides. The enormity of his words seemed to stun her. "You are very kind," she cried ironically, "but will you please remember that I do not require your compassion, though I can never properly express my gratitude for your disinterestedness in asking me to marry you to save me from such an end?"

"Not at all," calmly. "I may be old and pastee, she said as he rose, "but I have not sunk quite so low as to require your charity. There are at least four men who would marry me tomorrow if I consented—men who really want to marry me."

"I don't doubt it," he said gravely, "and I hope you will forgive me if I have said anything which wounded you. One's sympathies are often misplaced. You will let me come again, won't you?"

"I shall be charmed to see you," with frigid formality, and then she placed a listless hand in his.

But when he had gone she went and peered in the mirror. "Do I look so old?" she cried with a catch in her breath; but she looked for wrinkles and gray hairs in vain.

"When I refused him before," she said reflectively, "he cried. Today," she laughed, "and she sighed as she turned away."

"It is a long while since you came to see me," she said as she sat down in her chair after receiving him.

"Yes, a long while. But I have had so much to do that I really haven't had time."

"No?" She smiled, but her fingers were beating an impatient tattoo on the arm of her chair.

"I saw you at Harringtonham on Saturday," she went on. "You were walking about with one girl the whole afternoon. Who is she?"

"Oh, you must mean little Milly Danvers. Did you notice her? Did you ever see such a pretty girl?"

"Just up from the country, I suppose?" "Yes. Any one could tell that at once with the fresh color in her face."

"It was not her face that made me think so," scathingly. "It was her hat."

"Her hat?" he repeated blankly. "You called me old the other day, and now I have discovered that it is you who have aged most. It is only old men who discover charms just out of the nursery."

"Milly has left school some months," trying to defend himself—but she only tapped her foot on the ground with some irritability.

"Don't you think we have talked enough about Miss Danvers?" she said. "Let us start a topic of some interest."

"Then we will talk about you"—promptly. She smiled faintly. "I don't think that will be an absorbing subject, either," she said. "Besides, it might tempt you to be as uncomplimentary as you were last time, and you would not be so amusing twice."

"Did I amuse you then?" "You always amused me—even in the old days when—with unnecessary emphasis—you and I were young. Do you remember how you cried then?"

"And did that amuse you? I will cry now if it will give you any pleasure."

"No. I don't believe you could cry now if you chose. I wonder—" "And what do you wonder?" as she paused.

"I wonder what you would have done if I had accepted you the other day?" "Perhaps I shouldn't have asked you to marry me if I had not been quite certain you would refuse."

Her eyes flashed darkly. "I wish I had said yes."

"It might have kept you to your word, and what would you have done then?" He was watching her very closely, and she wished her color were more under her control.

She laughed as naturally as she could. "I would have married you out of revenge," she said.

"Well—in a tone of relief—"all things considered, it is much better that you answered as you did."

"Infinitely so," she replied, with perhaps too much emphasis. And she watched him afterward as he walked away from the house, straight and tall.

"He is too good for Milly Danvers," she said with a little strangled sigh.

"Come out on the balcony," she said. "It is so stuffy inside."

"You had better," he said as she threw her arms round his neck.

"I am tired," she cried. "Tired of everything; of the eternal treadmill. Surely—passionately—"one was made for something better than all this."

"Have you only just found that out?"—slowly.

"Only just, and I have had ten years of it, and yet—and yet—I expect I shall come up again next season and do the round just the same."

"Perhaps things will be changed then—perhaps you will be married."

"Never"—restlessly. "I shall never marry."

"What have become of the four who wanted to marry you?"

"They have gone, thank heaven!"

looked at her intently. "I wonder if ever during your life," he said, "you will regret any of the men you have refused and wish—you had answered differently."

She laughed mirthlessly. "That would be a just retribution for my sins, you think?" she said.

"I don't suppose that retribution would follow. A man who loved you once would probably love you always."

She laughed again. "I am afraid you know little of human nature," she said. "Men only too soon console themselves. There is an instance of that close at hand. Look at yourself!"

"I have not consoled myself"—quietly. She looked away from him. "How is Milly Danvers?" she asked.

"Milly is very happy. She's just engaged."

Her eyes looked even darker in contrast to the white face she turned to him. But her voice was quite firm. "Accept my congratulations," she said.

"You are very kind, but I don't see why I am to be congratulated."

"Naturally—in a colorless, even voice—"Miss Danvers' engagement implies yours too."

"It does not," he said a little whimsically. "You see you were right—I was not old enough for Milly—her fiancé is ten years my senior."

"I am so sorry for your disappointment," she said gently. "A little help is worth a world of pity"—meaningly.

"And how can I help you?" "By taking the disappointment away."

He leaned over the flowers on the balcony so that he could look the better into her face.

"I am tired of the treadmill, too," he said. "Don't you think we might beat life better if we faced it together?"

She clasped and unclasped her hands nervously. "I did not mean to arouse your compassion again," she said with a sob in her voice.

"You have never aroused anything in my heart but—love!"

"You said I was old and pastee"—"At least you see that I was acting?"

He took her two restless little hands in his. "Dear," he said, "my love has survived the weariness and silence of ten long years—won't you trust me now?"

Her dark eyes were shining through a mist of tears. "I was afraid—I was afraid," she cried, "that you had gone away from me forever, and until I had lost you I never knew how I loved you—how I wanted you!"—Mainly About People.

Ocean Depths and Depths Beyond. It was to be expected that Mrs. Meynell would find the depths of ocean somewhat more impressive than the average cabin passenger. Yet in a recent communication to The Pall Mall Gazette she writes:

"To the unused it must needs be grave to wake at night and see the deep, but the gravity is not awful, if one should be accustomed to the land, to remember the heavens under the earth, the moon below, the stars above, flashing upon the milky way below. Beneath the deep, beneath the land, beneath the house and the secure bed, the sun!"

Continuing, she says: "Indeed, it is not on earth, nor under her waters, her mountains or her trees, that her children have their finest fears, but among the inaccessible and unknown heavens."

"No. The ocean is a manifest friend, buoying the racing ship with the power of its depth. You may find nothing wild or on the way than a single solitary storm. The ship charges it, carries it and sweeps into the farther calm. It is a sea of chances, with one thing only most strangely steadfast; albeit soft, sensitive, curving and waving like a sea plant in the flood—water within water; wavering, swinging, dividing one age long way, while the centuries alter mountains—the gulf stream rushing warmly to nourish England in the east."

Neilson's Ineffable Charm. Miss Neilson as an actress possessed an ineffable charm which has never been analyzed or explained, says Henry A. Clapp in The Atlantic. A signal illustration of this charm was afforded her by Viola in "Twelfth Night." Of all Shakespeare's women Viola is the most elusive. Deeply reserved, void of initiative, confirmed in patience, exquisitely fine in all the texture of her nature, as pure as new fallen snow, she is, however, not like Miranda, fearless, with the ignorant innocence of Paradise or Isabella, calm with the untempered chastity of the cloister, but is familiar with life and its lures, as well as susceptible of love and its enthrallment.

In that slender maid, as she looked through Adelaide Neilson's eyes and spoke through her voice, the fairest dream of romance seemed incarnate; in her the very "riches of the sea," strangely delivered from its "enraged and foamy mouth," had "come on shore."

An Injudicious Text. A church was a considerable time without a pastor. A great number of persons of varied talents preached to them with a view to obtaining the post. A very ambitious young man was asked to supply them for a Sabbath. All went well until he gave out the text. "See that ye refuse not him that speaketh." Imagine the consternation the people experienced when he read out the text in a lofty and commanding manner. He was unaware of the feeling he created. The people did the opposite from the text. The young man was not called.—Homiletic Review.

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The Harmattan or Withering Wind

The name of harmattan has been given a periodical wind which blows from the interior of Africa toward the Atlantic during the three months of December, January and February. It sets in with a fog or dry haze which sometimes conceals the sun for whole weeks together. By its course it withers as though it had been seared by heat from a furnace; often within an hour after it begins to blow green grass is dry enough to burn like paper. Even the hardened natives lose all of the skin on exposed parts during the prevalence of this withering wind.

A Boy's Delight.

Clifford was a good sized boy, but was still in knickerbockers. He had lost a near and dear relative and was heartbroken. A wealthy uncle on a visit to the family undertook to divert his mind.

"Clifford, my boy," said the uncle, "we'll go down town pretty soon, and want you to think up something you would rather have than anything else in this world. Make up your mind now, and we'll get it, no matter what it is."

Clifford reflected for several minutes. Then his face brightened. "Get me a pair of suspenders, uncle," he said.—Chicago Tribune.

On and On.

When Lionel Barrymore, son of Maurice Barrymore, first went on the stage, he got a very small part in a play. He was greatly disappointed, of course, but was glad to be there at all. Speaking of his appearance to a friend the next day, the friend said:

"Why, I saw the play, but I didn't see you."

"You must have winked," replied Lionel.—New York Times.

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CALEDONIAN CLUB MEETING.

Committee Appointed to Make Arrangements for the Annual Burns Celebration.

The regular meeting of the Renfrew Caledonian club was held last night and there was a good attendance. The principal topic of discussion was the annual Burns celebration which is to be held on January 24. Until last year the club held its observances in the opera house but the armory was used last year. The celebration was a complete success and as the club always has large attendances, the accommodations were much better. It is probable that arrangements for the event to take place in the same place this year will again be made. The committee of arrangements will be the officers of the club, George Kerr, William H. Young, W. S. Morton and George Grant Jr. The club will hold its regular whist party in its hall this evening and good prizes will be offered.

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY.

But Claims He did Not Mean to Steal Hired Horses.

Matthew Conway, a blacksmith from Savoy, was arrested last night on a charge of stealing a horse and buggy from a Savoy Poleander, named Skowronski. The latter is a farmer and let the buggy to Conway Monday night that the blacksmith might drive to town. Conway said he would return the same night or early the next morning. Arriving here Conway who formerly conducted a shop on Dean street, met old friends and for got to return home. He had the horse well cared for at a boarding stable and was surprised when arrested. The Poleander was very angry but the case was continued until Saturday and a settlement may be effected.

One drunk was also disposed of in court this morning.

BROKE HIS LEG.

Boy Met With Serious Accident; as Result of Recklessness.

Frank, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lamore of Crandall street, met with a serious accident, Monday afternoon. It was the result of boyish recklessness and happened while he was catching a ride on the rear of a heavy wagon. He grabbed hold of the end of the platform of the wagon and tried to swing his feet onto the rear axle, when his shoe caught in the spokes of the wheel and his right leg was fractured in the thigh. Dr. A. J. Bond attended.

ST. THOMAS CHURCH BAZAAR.

Another large attendance was had at St. Thomas church bazaar in the opera house last night and the canvassers were successful in their work. The entertainment was good and the participants acquitted themselves well. Dennis Hogan of Pittsfield sang and was encored and the songs by John L. Burt, G. F. Duggan and William Lahey were well received. Henry Broderick's cornet solos were enjoyed and Miss Ethel Ward's dancing was very good. She is an attractive little miss and she executed her dances in a manner that deserved the applause given.

The entertainment tonight will be by St. Thomas church choir and the program includes Thomas Carroll and T. J. Callahan of Pittsfield. It is as follows:

Climaphone selections. Earl M. Walpole

Baritone solo, "When the blue sky turns to gold." Daniel E. Kiley

Black-face sketch and song. Thomas Carroll

Seprano solo. Tell me, Keogmann

Miss Margaret McGrath.

Pass solo. The Skipper, Jude

T. J. Callahan.

Baritone solo. selected

George F. Duggan.

Tenor solo. selected

William T. Lahey.

Song. Thomas Carroll

The articles on the choir table at the fair are as follows:

Casser set by J. J. Carney, barrel of flour by D. J. Quinn, copper boiler by William Morrissey, barrel crackers by F. N. Goodrich, hat by Mrs. Kallitzky, pair blankets by T. L. Dow, case of wine by William Hodecker, river fruit dish by Miss Ingram, shawl by Mrs. Gero, silk tidy by Catherine McDonnell, bed spread by Mrs. F. Cassidy sofa pillow by Mrs. F. O'Neill, table cloth by Mrs. Langan, slippers by J. Goldberg, fancy articles by Mrs. P. Lahey, shoes by Urban & Son, whip by Dr. McLaughlin, graphophone by St. Thomas choir, bed spread by Mrs. John Gavin.

DISTRICT DEPUTIES ATTENDED MEETINGS.

The regular meeting of Greylock lodge, A. O. U. W., was held Tuesday evening and there was a good attendance.

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ance. District Deputy Larrabee of North Adams attended and there was an interesting report given by F. L. Snow on the convention held in Springfield. It was to forward the movement of the plan to have a separate body of the western Massachusetts lodges. Delegate Snow gave a detailed report of the meeting which was held Saturday. After the meeting remarks were made by the district deputy, E. W. Streeter and E. R. Karner on lodge matters.

The regular meeting of Court Adams Foresters of America was also held last night and District Deputy McCarthy of North Adams, attended. He made a few remarks and instructed the court on several matters of importance.

HEAVY DEBT LIQUIDATED BY GOOD WORK.

The Baptist church has undergone some much needed repairs to the roof this fall, the heating apparatus had to be changed to comply with new state laws, and a new heating apparatus has been placed in the parsonage, and with some floating bills, quite a debt had been incurred. However, by a very generous contribution on the part of the members and the noble efforts of the ladies this debt has all been paid. Last night the Ladies' Aid voted \$87.45 to the church, also voted to pay for the winter's coal and paid \$76 off the principal debt. The ladies are entitled to great credit for their most excellent work.

NOTRE DAME CHURCH BAZAAR.

Notre Dame church bazaar after a postponement will re-open for the remainder of the week in the old French church this evening. The entertainment will be by the choir and the program is as follows:

Chorus, Praise ye the Father.

Soprano solo, Why dost thou not love me? Miss Emma Lord

Song, Could I but dream again dear, Edward Riley

Song, I've come to say farewell, Miss Cora Denault

Baritone solo, "The treasures of the sea are buried deep" Frank Lord

Solo, "La Jeune Martyre,"

Duet, I would that my love, Misses Emma and Mary Lord

Chorus, From the opera Mascot, Pianist, Mr. Jules Lord.

LOAN EXHIBIT AND RUMMAGE SALE.

The ladies of the Universalist church opened their loan exhibit in the church parlors this afternoon and it is the finest exhibit of the kind ever shown in town. The collection of articles includes souvenirs of the late Cuban and Philippine wars and the antiques are of much local interest. It is well worth patronizing and the efforts in arranging it should be rewarded. The regular supper will be served tonight.

The ladies aid of St. Mark's church have all things ready for the rummage sale which opens in the vacant store in Collins block tomorrow. The stock is large and great bargains are promised.

READING CLUB MEETINGS.

The Wednesday literary club met this afternoon in the memorial building. The program consisted of a paper on "Character of Oliver Newcome" by Mrs. E. Burlingame, Miss Lucy Chalmers gave "selections descriptive of Ethel" and the question was "Is Rosa more weak or wicked?"

The Thursday afternoon reading club's program for tomorrow will be Roll call, a paper, "Roman rule" by Mrs. N. H. Bixby, "Mohammedan rule" by Mrs. C. H. Howarth, "Carro" by Miss Helen Phillips, "Modern Egypt" by Mrs. H. A. Jones, and miscellaneous.

SAMPLES OF WATER FOR ANALYSIS.

Supt. R. A. Whipple sent samples of the drinking water to the state board of health, yesterday. The samples were taken from the Dry brook and Basset reservoirs and consisted of a gallon of each. It is customary for the analysis to be made regularly, not that any doubt as to their purity is entertained. The result will be learned in a couple of weeks.

IN HONOR OF GUEST.

Mrs. W. B. Plunkett gave a party in honor of Mrs. Davis of Michigan, who for several weeks past has been the guest of Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Pennington at the Congregational parsonage. It was a luncheon at Mrs. Plunkett's home Tuesday afternoon and a party of 12 local women attended. A pleasant occasion was the result.

The Alert hall committee will meet this evening.

A daughter was born Tuesday to

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Mr. and Mrs. George Bruffee of Grove street.

Miss Valentine Woodward of the Greylock house has left town to attend the funeral of her mother in Cheshire.

Mrs. Jerome Griggs has returned from a visit in Troy, N. Y.

A 25 cent supper will be served at the Methodist church Saturday evening.

Frontenac court of Foresters will meet this evening.

P. H. Gorman has moved to Spring street.

James Mossey of the soldiers' home in Vermont is the guest of Patrick Rooney of this town.

P. M. Smith of Brockton is the guest of friends in town.

C. W. Burpee of Boston visited local friends Tuesday.

B. R. Franklin of Springfield is here on business.

Rev. Fr. Rodier of Notre Dame church will return tomorrow from a visit in Worcester.

Hugh H. Geogher of Milford, Ct., is visiting in town.

The barbers' union will meet tomorrow evening.

E. Braman of Troy, N. Y., was here Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Mattison of South Shaftsbury, Vt. is the guest of her brother, F. C. Mattison of this town.

The regular meeting of the Odd Fellows will be held this evening.

LOST.

Saturday afternoon between Renfrew school and Center street, or in the opera house, a gold brooch. Liberal reward if left at the Freeman office, Dean street, Adams, Mass.

LOST-A pocketbook containing a sum of money between Columbia and Park street. Reward if left at Riley's drug store, Park street, Adams.

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A Special Exhibition of Fine Fur Scarfs on Wednesday.

Skunk opossum fur scarfs, fine quality of fur with tail clusters, regular \$7.00 qualities,

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Black marten scarfs, with cluster of eight tails, \$5.00 each

Very best quality black skunk opossum fur scarfs, extra full shape, long in front, with cluster of eight, tails at \$6.50 each

High grade brown marten scarfs, with cluster of six tails, full shape, extra good quality and very special value, \$7.50 each

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DEMOCRATS WANT W. M. B. OWN AS CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

Delegation Called on Him Last Night. Will Give an Answer Tonight or Tomorrow

An effort is being made to get W. M. Brown to allow his name to go before the democratic convention as a candidate for mayor but it will probably not succeed. Mr. Brown said this morning that he had been asked by many democrats to become a candidate, and that a delegation of prominent democrats called at his house last night to urge the matter. Mr. Brown states that he gave them no encouragement, but agreed to give them a final answer tonight or tomorrow morning. He said if the matter had been brought up earlier he might have considered it but he thinks it too late now. Judging from Mr. Brown's talk today there is little prospect of his being a candidate, but it is possible that pressure may be brought to bear which will induce him to change his mind. His friends believe he is the strongest man the democrats could name and are very anxious to press him into the race.

LEARY JURORS DRAWN

If Is Near Election and There Was No Trouble Getting a Quorum of Councilmen

The usual difficulty in getting a quorum of the council present when no business but the drawing of jurors is on hand was not experienced last evening, showing the probable influence of the approaching election, after the fashion of approaching Christmas on the Sunday school pupil. The meeting started only a little late with 13 members present, while one more arrived before the meeting was adjourned so as to break any possible hoodoo. Those present were Councilmen Amador, Barnes, Braman, Craswell, O'Connor, Stockwell, Evans, Peat, Franchere, Ladam, Mahoney, Bonner and Dennett.

One or two more councilmen arrived later but finding their surprise that there was a quorum already present they departed without being recorded as attending.

The venire calling for the choice of 15 jurors to attend the special session of superior court which will try Daniel Leary on the charge of murder was read and Councilman Franchere was appointed to assist the mayor in drawing the names. The following were drawn:

Edward C. Blossom, druggist, 88 Meadow street; Frederick K. Smith, civil engineer, 87 Park avenue; Wilbur J. Nichols, merchant, 7 Holbrook street; Isaac S. Browne, musician, 46 Liberty street; Pythagoras Boyd, manager, 19 Union street; James W. Bay, carpenter, 7 Hall street; George W. Dox, 51 Bracewell avenue; Tennessee Dox, dentist, 51 Bracewell avenue; Stephen W. Kimball, retired, 410 Church street; John W. Hayden, merchant, 37 Bracewell avenue; Francis H. Bowes, cigarmaker, 53 Jackson street; William E. Orton, merchant, 83 Bracewell avenue; John P. Flaherty, shoemaker, 8 High street; Henry Schuster, butcher, 155 Vesie street; Thomas L. Battle, laborer, 587 Hall street; Wallace Kleezer, express, 437 Main street.

GRAVES-BRYANT WEDDING

Popular Young People Joined in Matrimony at Home of Bride Last Night

A very pretty home wedding took place last night at the home of Mrs. Selina Park Bryant, 152 Bracewell avenue, when her daughter, Edna May, was united in marriage to Leon W. Graves. The ceremony was performed at 8.30 o'clock by Rev. J. A. Hamilton. The house was decorated with palms, evergreens and cut flowers, and an aisle of white ribbon led from the staircase to an arch of mountain laurel and chrysanthemums in the swell window where the bridal party stood during the ceremony.

The maid of honor was Miss Lena Bryant, the bride's sister, and the best man was W. J. Tatro. A. J. McAuley and Jasen Braman acted as ushers. Miss Bryant was given away by her cousin, F. W. Reed. The bride's gown was of white silk with white silk, trimmed with applique rosettes and ruffles, and she carried a bouquet of white roses and maiden hair fern. The maid of honor wore blue silk with over blue silk and carried pink carnations and maiden hair fern.

A buffet lunch was served in the dining room and in a small sitting room decorated in pink and smilax the girl friends of the bride served ices. The young couple received many handsome gifts in the way of cut glass, silver ware and furniture, among them being a sideboard from the clerks in Tuttle & Bryant's where the bride was formerly employed and a silver tea set from her firm.

After the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Graves took a train for Boston and on their return they will live at 152 Bracewell avenue.

The bride has a large number of friends in this city, having lived here practically all her life. She was born in Chester. The groom is a native of Ludlow, Vt., but has made this city his home for the past 10 years, at first engaging in the jewelry business with his brother and later taking a position with Wood Bros. where he is now employed.

Among the out of town guests last night were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Harter and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Atkins of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Fred White and daughter Helen of Stockbridge, Mrs. Everett Clark and Miss Imogene Clark and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Graves of Pittsfield, Miss Kate Caswell of Lan singburgh, Mrs. Oscar Elmer and Miss Kate Buzzell of Shelburne Falls, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of North Pownal.

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NORTH ADAMS BEATEN

But The Team Made a Good Showing on The Pittsfield Alleys

The second of a series of bowling games between the Pittsfield and North Adams teams was played last evening at the Peck & Griffin alleys in the former city, and resulted in a victory for the Pittsfield aggregation by 44 points. It was an interesting contest from start to finish, but the Tunnel city men were handiapped considerably, the alleys being new to them, and Slattery also losing 25 pins on a foul. The next game is scheduled at North Adams Thanksgiving night. The visitors were entertained at supper at the new Burbank house following the game, and a musical program of gramophone selections and singing was enjoyed. The score:

NORTH ADAMS.			
Bowers,	145	148	151-444
Slattery	151	178	111-440
Lynch,	154	204	177-535
Meiklejohn,	167	204	141-502
Stevenson,	135	121	145-401
Total,			2322

PITTSFIELD.			
Flynn,	153	162	113-428
Mickle,	221	147	152-520
Potter,	127	156	176-459
Stone,	182	146	114-442
Thomas,	105	154	108-517
Total,			2366

The Protectives were beaten by the Windsor team last night in the Curtis and Hill casino, the score being 2046 to 1932. The largest individual score was made by Anderson of the Windsors, who secured 472 points. For the Protectives Curtis did best, making 429 points.

TWO POINTS FOR ATHLETICS

Association Football League Awards Last Saturday's Game to Adams Team

At the meeting of the Association football league last evening arrangements were completed for the league game to be played on Howland field Saturday between the North Adams team and Adams football club. Mumford will referee the contest.

Two points in the league standing were awarded to the Adams Athletics because the Druids of Blackinton did not show up for last Saturday's game. It will be scored as a defeat by default for the Druids. The Druids now lead with six points, to five for the Athletics.

There will be a game Thanksgiving forenoon between the Adams Athletics and the North Adams team on Howland field. The Druids are also trying to arrange a game for the same day.

To Arizona For His Health

G. H. Rogers of Readsboro, Vt., who had been spending a few days at the home of George Robinson of Greylock, left this afternoon for Uma, Arizona. His health has been poor, and if the climate of Arizona agrees with him he will settle there. If not, he will try other sections of the west and southwest, and if he does not receive benefit he will return to the east. He has worked for the Readsboro Chair company for 15 years. While in search of health Mr. Rogers may do a little prospecting for minerals. His friends hope he will have the luck to find both.

Hoosac Lodge Whist

The attendance at the Hoosac lodge, N. E. O. P., whist party held last night in Pythian hall was rather small, but those who were present enjoyed themselves. Prizes were awarded as follows: Mrs. W. Haskins, Mrs. Mildred Paine, Mrs. R. Simons, Mrs. A. L. Morris, H. A. Joltz, William Shultis, L. Simon, R. F. Murnaghan.

The next party will be held Dec. 2. It will be larger than any so far and there will be 20 prizes to play for.

To Entertain National Delegate

The Loomfixers' union met Tuesday evening and initiated four new members and had four new applications. The union looks forward with considerable interest to a special meeting to be held soon, when Tim Murphy of New Bedford, expected to be its guest. He has been to the national convention of loomfixers and it is hoped to have him stop here on his way home and deliver an address. To Adams loomfixers will be invited to attend.

First Euchre Party

The Father Mathew society held its first euchre party last night. Thirteen tables were played and the prizes were taken as follows: Mrs. Bellevue, Jerry Meade, John Hanley, Stephen Tracy, Mrs. Lunt, E. L. Crosier, Peter Timothy, Frank Boyle. The next party will be held Tuesday evening and the play will be started promptly at 8.30 o'clock.

Will Meet at Parsonage

Because of the repairs on the Congregational church the regular weekly prayer meeting tomorrow evening will be held at the parsonage, 123 Church street, at 7.30. The Bible normal class and teachers' meeting, conducted by Profs. Allen and Memmott, will meet at the same place at 8.30.

TABLE FURNISHINGS.

Hadn't you better get your set of carvers this week? We have beautiful line to select from, game carvers, bird carvers in stag, silver or pearl handles. Roger Bros. 1847 Flatware, spoons, knives and forks and everything in silverware or cutglass that you may need to brighten up your Thanksgiving table.

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The E. J. Cary store on Ashland street will be opened Monday, November 18, for a short time to dispose of the stock. Everything will be sold at a great reduction.

THE RECRUITING STATION WILL NOT BE CLOSED NOW

Corporal West Succeeds Sergeant Houghton, Who Enlists in the Engineer Corps. Torrey Goes to the Philippines

Sergeant Houghton, who has been in charge of the local recruiting station for some time, left the city today, but the station will not be closed, as was expected would be done on his leaving. Corporal James P. West of Troop C, Seventh cavalry, arrived this morning, and will take charge of the business of the station. He will make a more active effort to enlist recruits for the army than has been done, and expects that the station will remain open for some time to come if business warrants it.

Enlistments are wanted for all branches of the service, infantry, cavalry, artillery and hospital corps. Service is both home and foreign, Philippine service being the one most emphasized by the recruiting department just now. The requirements for the hospital corps are less severe than formerly and word was recently received at the Springfield station, of which this is a branch, to enlist for it. Corporal West has been in the recruiting service since last May, when he returned from Cuba. He was first in Pittsfield, and later in Springfield.

Sergeant Houghton, who has become very well known in this city through his connection with the local recruiting station, was today discharged and left for Springfield, where he will re-enlist for his 19th year in the service. He will leave tomorrow for Washington where he will join Company I of the engineer corps. The sergeant has already served in the engineer corps once before, and says he is glad to get back to it again.

The sergeant first enlisted in the 11th infantry, with which regiment he served 10 years. During this time he saw a good deal of frontier life, being located for the most part at small outlying posts in Arizona, Dakota, and Montana watching the Indians and breaking up their warlike demonstrations. In 1892 he left the old 11th and enlisted as an engineer, and during the first part of the war with Spain he was on the coast of Maine fortifying harbors and laying mines. About this time he decided he had been an engineer long enough, and went back to the infantry again, this time in the 10th, and was sent to Cuba. After serving a little over two years in Havana, Cardenas, Matanzas and Santiago, without running up against any active service, the regiment returned to the United States and Sergeant Houghton was detailed to different posts in California, New Mexico and Indian Territory. His term of enlistment ended in February of this year and since that time he has been engaged in the recruiting service in Massachusetts.

A Transcript reporter called on Sergeant Houghton last evening and talked with him a while about army life. But the sergeant is a modest man, and he slid hastily over his own personal experiences. So the reporter had to come away without any thrilling stories of valorous deeds wherewith to embellish his story.

Major Torrey Sent To Philippines

Major Z. W. Torrey, who was formerly stationed at the recruiting station in Springfield, has received orders to go to the Philippines again. He has been assigned to the 24th infantry as its junior major, and will join it in the East where it is stationed. It is one of the two colored infantry regiments and has a good record, being considered one of the best regiments in the service to serve with. Major Torrey expects to return to Springfield for a few days this week to store his household goods and make his final preparations for departure. He will sail from New York for Manila on the transport Crook, which leaves December 6. Unless his regiment is ordered home he will probably be stationed in the Philippines for three years. He has served there two years already.

Captain Gale's Promotion

Capt. George H. C. Gale probably received his promotion to a majority yesterday by the retirement of Col. Henry E. Noyes of the 3d cavalry. One of the majors of cavalry is now serving in one of the staff corps, and as he receives his lieutenant-colonelcy by Col Noyes' retirement, it makes a vacancy in the staff, and some major of cavalry will be appointed to fill it. This gives Capt. Gale his promotion dating from yesterday.

THE RUMMAGE SALE

The Laws of Hygiene Have Been Observed by The Managers

The rummage sale of the Congregational church will open in the store in the Adams block on Main street tomorrow morning and will continue until Saturday night, or even several days into next week if it takes that long to dispose of the large amount of goods that have been collected. The sale will be open morning, afternoon and evening and women of the church will be in charge.

In arranging for this sale those in charge have taken every precaution to eliminate some of the usual objections to the rummage sale. Goods have been solicited only from people of their own parish, so that the source might be known; and this evening the whole collection will be thoroughly fumigated.

The stock of goods collected is very large and includes much clothing in an excellent state. But though so much has been received, the choir has not been closed against further contributions.

The sale is to be held for the benefit of the three societies of the church, and those in charge believe that a large sum will be realized.

CHESHIRE

"Memphis and Pyramid Kings" was the subject at the Monday club. Miss Anna Flaherty had charge of the reading.

The autopsy held by Dr. Kinsley, assisted by Dr. Bond, Monday on the body of Charles Pike, showed that death resulted from water on the chest. The funeral was held yesterday.

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